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# STUDENTS' HAND BOOK

OF

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#### ALMA MATER

We salute thee, Alma Mater, we salute thee with a song.

At thy feet our loyal hearts their tributes lay;

We had waited for thy coming, in the darkness waited long,

Ere the morning star proclaimed thy natal day.

Thou hast come through tribulation, and thy robe is clean and white,

Thou art fairer than the summer in its bloom. Thou art born unto a kingdom, and thy crown is all of light:

Thou shalt smile away the shadow and the gloom.

In thy paths the fields shall blossom and the desert shall rejoice,

In the wilderness a living fountain spring;

For the blind shall see thy beauty, and the deaf shall hear thy voice,

And the silent tongues their high hozannas sing.

Where the rhododendron blushes on the burly mountain's breast,

In the midland where the wild deer love to roam,

Where the water-lily slumbers while the cypress guards its rest,

Lo, thy sunny land of promise and thy home.

Where the sons of Carolina taught a Nation to be free.

And her daughters taught their brothers to be brave:

O'er the land of peaceful plenty, from the highlands to the sea.

May thy banner, Alma Mater, ever wave.

R. T. VANN.

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## A DAY'S PROGRAM

| A. M.                  |
|------------------------|
| Rising bell6:45        |
| First breakfast bell   |
| Breakfast 7:45         |
| First class 8:30       |
| Second class 9:30      |
| Chapel10:30            |
| Third class11:00       |
| Fourth class12:00      |
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| P. M.                  |
| Lunch                  |
| Fifth class 1:30       |
| Laboratory 2:30        |
| First dinner bell 5:45 |
| Dinner 6:00            |
| Study hour 7:45        |
| Visiting bell10:00     |
| Room bell10:15         |
| Light hell 10:30       |

#### SOCIAL CALENDAR

#### FALL:

For new girls especially—
S. G. and Y. W. C. A. reception.
"Y" room entertainments.
Society reception and entertainments.

Wake Forest Founders' Day. Stunt night. Inter-class basketball games. Society Day. Y. W. C. A. Christmas Party.

#### SPRING:

Founders' Day.
Student Government Association Reception.
Wake Forest Anniversary.
Y. W. C. A. Reception.
Class entertainments.
Tennis tournaments.
Field Day.

You are cordially invited to attend

the

Informal Reception
Given to New Students

by the

Student Government and Young Women's Christian Associations

at

eight o'clock p. m. Saturday, September Twelfth

# STATEMENT FROM THE TRUSTEES FOR THE HANDBOOK

The Board of Trustees approves the adoption and operation by the Faculty and the Student Body of what is commonly known as Student Government; subject, however, to the following limitations:

- 1. The following matters are reserved from Student control, and as to these the Faculty and the officers of the College shall have control:
  - a. All academic matters.
  - All matters affecting the health of the students.
  - c. Chapel exercises and conduct therein.
  - d. Organization of clubs and societies.
  - e. Control of College property.
- 2. To the President, to the Dean, and to the Dean of Women, with their respective committees, is reserved the right to handle special cases of discipline, which in their judgment can best be handled in this way; subject to the rights of the Trustees to review the same, if the Trustees so desire.
- 3. The Trustees reserve all powers and authority not hereinbefore specifically granted to others and reserve the right to modify or repeal this grant of authority at any time in their discretion.



# STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

#### **OFFICERS**

| ELSIE ELKINS     | President      |
|------------------|----------------|
| JESSAMINE OLDHAM | Vice-President |
| GLADYS COX       | Secretary      |
| MABEL JAMES      | Treasurer      |

#### HOUSE PRESIDENTS

Main Building—

ELINOR LANE, President.
MARGARET LASSITER, Vice-President.

Faircloth Hall-

THERESA NEWTON, President.
MARY HERRING, Vice-President.

East Building-

Daisy Barnwell, President. Gladys Beeker, Vice-President.

Myatt House-

HAZEL STROUD.

Fire Chief—Mary Alderman.
Cheer Leader—Blanche Stokes.

#### COMMITTEES

Ideals—Irene Edwards, Lois Waller, Odessa Arnette.

Social—Margaret Wilkinson, Margaret Eagles, Katherine Cooke.

Music—Blanche Stokes, Marguerite Blackstock, Mary O'Kelley.

Buildings and Grounds-Freshman Class.

#### STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

Student Government means all the Meredith girls, with a real Meredith sense of honor, working together to make Meredith the best college possible.

The Honor System is the basis of our policy. This means, in its application to the conduct of its members, that each girl is to be trusted to observe all the laws of the Student Government Association. These laws are made by the students themselves, and approved by the faculty. As long as a student is a member of the Association it is expected that she feel not only a personal responsibility in abiding by them, but a responsibility to the community, seeing to it that her fellow-students live up to the same standard of honor.

It is only through the spirit of co-operation that any system of self-government can rise to an ideal plane of efficiency.

The spirit of the Student Association is the real college spirit, and a loyal student spirit means not only a co-operating student organization, but clean athletics, an enthusiastic Y. W. C. A., and a working literary society. The success of any organization in college depends on the attitude of the girls toward the Student Government Association. We must work together for the common good of all before we can work in groups in smaller organizations. The Student Government encourages loyalty to all organizations, promptness in all duties, and a spirit of love and friendship among the girls.

#### CONSTITUTION

#### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

This Association shall be called the Student Government Association of Meredith College.

#### ARTICLE II

#### OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be the government of the student body.

#### ARTICLE III

#### MEMBERSHIP

- SECTION 1. All resident students, upon registration at Meredith, shall automatically become members of the Student Government Association. Non-resident students are under immediate jurisdiction of the association, except in matters which are naturally under the control of their parents or guardians.
- SEC. 2. Since each student in coming to Meredith accepts college citizenship involving self-government under the Honor System, she assumes the following obligations:
- 1. To inform herself as to the academic and non-academic responsibilities which are matters of college honor.

- 2. To conform her own conduct to the Meredith standards of honor and to fulfill her community duty by co-operating in holding others to those standards, as follows:
  - a. By reporting herself for breach of conduct,
    - (1) In non-academic matters
      - (a) In dormitory-to House President.
      - (b) In all other cases—to President of Student Government.
      - (2) In academic matters to
        - (a) Instructor, or
        - (b) President of Student Government.
  - b. By asking offenders to report themselves.
  - c. By putting the matter before the proper authorities if the offender refuses to report herself.
- Sec. 3. Each freshman vote will count as one-half.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### OFFICERS-THEIR ELECTION AND DUTIES

- SECTION 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer.
- Sec. 2. (a) The President shall be chosen from the incoming Senior class.
- (b) The officers and House Presidents shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting held the second Monday in March, except the President, who shall be elected ten days previous to the above date, followed by the nomination and

election of the Y. W. C. A., Athletic, and Society presidents and the Editors-in-Chief of the Student publications, in the order above mentioned. These major officers of the college organizations shall have been elected and the nominations for minor Student Government officers posted three days before the second Monday in March.

- (c) The officers shall enter upon their duties at the beginning of the fall term.
- SEC. 3. (a) It shall be the duty of the President to preside over all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to appoint any call meetings she may consider necessary, and to appoint all committees not otherwise provided for in these articles.
- (b) The duties of the Vice-President shall be the same as those of the President, should the President at any time be unable to perform her duties.
- (c) It shall be the duty of the Secretary to record the proceedings of all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to post all official notices, to submit to the Dean the lists of members, officers, committees, and other bodies appointed by the Association.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a strict and permanent account of all receipts and expenditures, to collect fines, to present a report at the annual meeting of the Association, and to perform other duties that may devolve upon her as Treasurer of the Association.

#### ARTICLE V

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

- SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers of the Association, House Presidents, Vice-House Presidents (provided the total number of the whole committee does not exceed fourteen), and one representative from each of the two lower classes.
- Sec. 2. (a) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to meet every week, to enforce the rules of the Association, and to consider business of that body.
- (b) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to divide the corridors into districts, and to determine the tenure of office of the proctors.
- (c) The Executive Committee may, at its discretion, summon before it and reprimand any member or members of the Association. The committee shall have the right to withdraw privileges from and to impose penalties upon any member or members of the Association. These, however, shall be reported to the Advi sory Committee before being put into effect. The penalties of demerits, suspension and expulsion shall be subject to the approval of the faculty or a committee representing the faculty.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to consider proposed regulations and to refer such as are adopted to the student body to be voted upon. The regulation, if passed by

the student body, will go before the faculty for approval or disapproval.

- Sec. 3. (a) The Advisory Committee shall consist of the Dean of Women and two other members of the faculty.
- (b) The duties of the Advisory Committee shall be to receive reports from the Executive Committee and to confer with that committee whenever occasion may demand.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

- SECTION 1. (a) A meeting shall be held as soon as possible after the beginning of the college year, at which time the Constitution, By-laws, and Regulations shall be read and explained.
- (b) A meeting shall be held the second Monday in March for the election of officers.
- (c) A meeting of the Association shall be called once each month for reports from the Executive Committee and discussion by the members
- SEC. 2. Meetings of the Association may be called at any time by the President on her own motion, and must be called by her on the written request of ten members. The object of these special meetings shall be stated in writing when the request is made.
- SEC. 3. There shall be a special course of Freshman training in Student Government for

the new girls during the first few weeks in the fall. Attendance upon these meetings is compulsory. An examination will be given at the end of the course.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

Section 1. The judicial power of the Association shall be vested in—

- (a) The Association, which shall constitute a higher court, and which shall be a Court of Appeal from the decisions of the Executive Committee.
- (b) The Executive Committee, which shall constitute the lower court, and from which alone an appeal to the whole Association may be made.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### QUORUM

- SECTION 1. (a) One-third of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business.
- (b) Two-thirds of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the annual meeting in March, for any meeting in which an amendment or change in the Constitution is voted on, and when the Association is acting in its judicial capacity.

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#### ARTICLE IX

#### AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1. An amendment may be proposed by the faculty, by the Student Executive Committee, or by any fifteen members of the Association. The proposed amendment shall be posted at least one week before it is presented to the Association, and shall be approved by the faculty of the College before its adoption.

### BY-LAWS

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The rules contained in Roberts' Rules of Order shall govern the Association in all business meetings.

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- (a) The annual dues of the Association shall be one dollar and fifty cents.
- (b) A fine of ten cents shall be imposed upon any member of the Association who is absent from a meeting without an excuse acceptable to the Executive Committee.

#### III

- (a) Nominations for officers shall be posted at least three days before election.
- (b) A plurality of votes cast shall elect all officers of the Association.

#### IV

- (a) Each college dormitory shall be divided into districts, each of which shall have a proctor. There shall be a House President for each house and a Vice-House President.
- (b) The House President, together with the proctors of the house, shall form a House Council, whose duties shall be to enforce all rules of the Association pertaining to the government of the house.

- (c) Every student within two weeks after the opening of the fall semester shall sign the following statement: "I have read the Constitution, By-laws, and Regulations of the Student Government Association. I realize that I am on my honor to keep and enforce the rules of the Association, and I pledge myself to observe the same and to try to be a consistent member."
- (d) There shall be regular meetings of the House Council every two weeks.
  - (e) Proctors will not give permissions.
- (f) The Vice-House President shall act in the absence of the House President and assist her as occasion demands.

#### V

In addition to the Student Government Executive Committee there shall be a College Council, composed of both the Faculty and Student Executive Committees. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman.

The duties of this Council shall be:

- 1. To officially represent the student body.
- 2. To study the problems of the college community and to suggest solutions for the same.
- 3. To consider the constitution of all organizations arising in the student body, and to pass upon those whose purpose shall be of benefit to the student body; and to classify them according to their importance and relation to other college activities.

There shall also be a Nominating Committee, composed of the Presidents of the major student organizations, the editors-in-chief of the student publications, the class presidents, the Dean of Women, and three Faculty members, chosen by the student members of the nominating committee. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman of this committee.

The duties of this committee shall be:

- 1. To act as Nominating Committee.
- 2. To see that the point system is enforced.

## STUDENT REGULATIONS

The following regulations have been adopted to govern college life at Meredith because they embody recognized social obligations and standards and express the will of the majority as to rules under which they can best live together. Each member of the Student Government is therefore bound to uphold them as long as they stand. It is understood that the maintenance of these regulations is a matter of personal honor.

Students are under the college regulations from the time they reach Raleigh until they take the train to leave Raleigh, or until they have received permission from the Dean of Women to visit in the city at Christmas vacation or at the close of the session.

If any girl so conducts herself as to bring discredit upon Meredith, she may be dealt with by the Executive Committee, although there be no existing rule to cover the exact circumstances of the case.

#### I. House Rules

#### 1. Bells-

(a) The rising bell will ring at 6:45 a.m.; the light bell at 10:30 p.m., and the house will be quiet until rising bell. No extra time will be given after 10:30.

(b) Visiting bell will ring at 10:00 p.m.; first room bell at 10:10 p.m., and last room bell at 10:15 p.m.

#### 2. Quiet-

(a) Quiet must be observed during Silent Hour (2:00 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.) on Sunday afternoon, and during the Study Hours of the day and night, which are:

Monday: 10:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.; 1:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.; 7:45 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday: 8:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.; 1:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.; 7:45 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.

Saturday: 8:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.; 1:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.

- (b) Under no circumstances will visiting during the Sunday Silent Hour be allowed unless permission has been obtained from the House President before 2:00 p.m.
- (c) Pianos may not be used on Sunday morning or during Silent Hour.
- (d) Students may not be absent from their rooms during Study Hour except for studying in the library or classrooms.
- (e) With permission of the House President, girls may spend the night with friends in the same or other buildings.

#### II. Guests

1. No student will entertain guests in her room. All visitors will be entertained in the parlors.

- 2. Students may see out-of-town guests for fifteen minutes except on Sunday. College students (State, Wake Forest, Trinity, and Chapel Hill) are not considered out-of-town guests. Underclassmen may not receive callers during Study Hour.
- 3. Because of the lack of guest chambers, students may not entertain their friends overnight at the college without permission from the Dean of Women.
- 4. Guests may be entertained in the dormitory over the week-end only on the following conditions:
- (a) That permission has been secured, in advance, from the office of the Dean of Women.
- (b) That no more students sleep in the room than there are single beds in the room.
- (c) That they are informed of all house rules and are willing to comply with all.

#### III. TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAMS

- 1. The pay-station telephone may not be used during Study Hour.
- 2. The telephone, Number 530, is to be used only by Seniors and members of the Executive Committee. Other classmen must use the paystation telephone. All calls before 2:30 p.m. will be posted.
- 3. Permission to send telegrams or long-distance messages may be obtained from the Dean

of Women during her office hours, or from the Secretary to the President. Such messages must be paid for in advance.

#### IV. REGISTRATION

- 1. Students will not leave the College grounds without registering except for walking nearby.
- 2. In registering please observe the following:

Write your name legibly and neatly.

State the name of your chaperone.

State when you will leave.

State the exact place you are going (giving full address), and expected time of return.

Immediately upon your return sign the exact time of reaching the College.

Students may not register for each other.

- 3. Students will register in office of the Dean of Women for callers. This must be done before dinner of the evening upon which the call is made; Saturday before 5:30 p.m.
- 4. When shopping, calling, riding, etc., in the afternoon, students must register back on the campus at 6 o'clock; in the winter months at 5:30.

#### V. CHAPEL AND CHURCH

1. Chapel attendance is required of all students, unless excused in advance at the office of Dean of Women. Students must be in their places when the three-minute bell stops ringing.

Talking is forbidden after the organist begins playing. No books will be taken into chapel.

- 2. Students may choose any church as a church home within the first three weeks after school opens, and register the same on their schedule cards, and in the Sunday School and church roll books.
- 3. Students must mark themselves present or tardy each Sunday in the Sunday School roll book. For those away on Sunday, the roll books will be open until Monday evening at 10:15. Spaces unaccounted for will then be considered cuts. Each girl is permitted to be absent from Sunday School and church five Sundays out of the year without excuse.
- 4. Students are allowed to attend other churches than their home church five Sundays out of the year. When visiting please state the name of the church.
- 5. Students must attend church where they attend Sunday School, except on the Sundays they visit other churches, in which case they go directly from Sunday School visiting to the church in groups of two or three.
- 6 Students may attend church at night with a chaperon.
- 7. Reports of absence and visiting other churches will be sent weekly to the office of the Dean of Women.

#### VI. WALKING AND SHOPPING

- 1. During the first six weeks in the fall Freshmen must be accompanied by old girls when walking off the campus or shopping.
- 2. Students may not walk or sit on the campus or porches during Y. W. C. A.
- 3. Students may not walk in the business sections of the city, on Hillsboro Street, on Edenton Street between Blount and Halifax, in the Capitol Square, in the vicinity of the railroad shops or station. The business section begins with Hargett Street on Wilmington Street, and at Morgan Street on Fayetteville and Salisbury streets
- 4. Students may not walk in Oakwood Cemetery.

## VII. DELINQUENCIES

- 1. Each unexcused absence from any college duty will count as one delinquency, except absence from chapel, which will count as two. Two tardies will count as one absence.
- 2. Any student receiving nine delinquencies during any six weeks will be debarred from exercising the privileges of the Student Government Association for four weeks. Students receiving nine during the last six weeks will lose their privileges for the two weeks before commencement.
- 3. Students will report within one day to the Dean of Women for any absence or tardiness

from class; otherwise, they will go on the college record as unexcused delinquencies. Absences caused by illness may be excused by the nurse.

#### VIII. SOCIAL

- 1. No visits out of the city and no week-end visits in the city will be made without a written permission from parent or guardian, stating to whom the visit is to be made. This must be mailed directly to the President or the Dean of Women.
- 2. Students may dine with friends in town any three evenings during a semester, with a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women, provided they are back by Study Hour.
- 3. All invitations in the city must be sent by the hostess to the office of the Dean of Women.
- 4. Students may spend week-ends away from the college, with written permission from parent or guardian, four times a semester. This permission must be mailed directly to the Dean of Women.
- 5. Any over-night absence from the College (whether on a holiday or a week-end) unless spent in Raleigh with members of the immediate family, will count as one of the four semester week-ends allowed.
- 6. Students may spend Sundays in town and let them count as week-ends, provided they leave the campus before Silent Hour begins—to return by 10 o'clock the same day.

- 7. When visiting in the city, students may appear on the streets, or in public gatherings with young men, if chaperons have been approved by the Dean of Women. The hostess is considered an approved chaperon.
- 8. Students may take part in studio parties twice a semester, or attend movies two evenings a semester.
- 9. With permission of the Dean of Women, students may go driving any one afternoon during the week except Sunday, provided a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women has been secured.
- 10. Students when attending social functions in the evening must be in by 10 o'clock.
- 11. When visiting, students may leave the college Saturday when work is finished, but they must be back at the college for their first appointment.
- 12. Students may attend ball games any one afternoon in the week, or on Saturday night with faculty chaperon.
- 13. No one may visit in town over-night during Fair holidays, except with members of the immediate family.
- 14. Students may not sit with young men in chapel at any function under the auspices of the college, but may do so when it is under the auspices of a student organization.
- 15. Students may not patronize the drugstore at the corner of Lane and Bloodworth streets.

#### IX. OTHER REGULATIONS

- 1. Students do not carry on conversation with young men on the campus, at the libraries, in stores, or on the street, nor communicate by word or sign beyond simple recognition.
- 2. A committee, appointed by the President of the College, will censor all public performances and all printed matter.
- 3. Students do not visit restaurants, hotels, hospitals, railroad stations, or places of amusement without permission and a chaperon.
- 4. Hazing is absolutely forbidden. Any interference by one class with another class, or by members of one class with the members of another class, is included in the term hazing.
- 5. The punishment for cheating on examination, or elsewhere, will be expulsion, withdrawal of credits, or demerits, or a combination of the last two, at the discretion of Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.
- 6. Dancing and card-playing will not be permitted. As cards may not be used for any purpose whatsoever at Meredith College, you are asked not to have them in your possession. In regard to these there is a difference of opinion, but all will agree that it is safe to replace them by other recreations.
- 7. Sororities of whatever name or kind, whether regular or irregular, affiliating or unaffiliating with similar organizations elsewhere, are absolutely prohibited. The punishment for

this offense will be expulsion, demerits, or suspension, or a combination of any of these at the discretion of the Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.

- 8. Students may not return to Raleigh on trains arriving after 10:00 p.m. unless they have arranged for this in advance at the office of the Dean of Women.
- 9. Alumnae are asked to register in the office of the Dean of Women when visiting the College. Calling hours and all house rules must be observed.
- 10. Among the offenses for which call-downs are administered are the following:
- (a) Failure to return to campus within prescribed time.
- (b) Failure to register upon leaving or returning to the College, at the proper time, or registering for each other.
- (c) Failure to say good night to callers within five minutes after bell rings.
  - (d) Misconduct in Chapel.
  - (e) Marks for untidy room.
- (f) Failure to remain in room during study hour and after lights.
  - (g) Violation of library rules.
  - (h) Violation of dining room regulations.

#### FRESHMEN PRIVILEGES

1. May shop in groups of two or more any afternoon except Saturday.

- 2. May attend the movies one afternoon a week, with a chaperon, provided they go on the shopping day.
- 3. For the first semester may have callers two Saturday evenings in a calendar month from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock, provided they go to Society.
- 4. For the second semester may have callers any Saturday evening from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock, provided they go to Society.
- 5. May go calling twice a month with permission, but may not have dates while calling.
- 6. May attend church at night with permission and a chaperon.

#### SOPHOMORE PRIVILEGES

- 1. The class may have one evening off during the session, provided no member of the class is guilty of hazing in any manner whatever.
- 2. Members of the class may have callers on Monday afternoons from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock, or Saturday evenings from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock, provided they go to Society.
  - 3. May shop any two afternoons.
- 4. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women three times a month. May not have dates while calling.
- 5. May attend the movies one afternoon a week, with a chaperone, provided they go on the shopping day.

#### JUNIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. Juniors, approved by the Dean of Women, may chaperon wherever student chaperonage is permissible.
- 2. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women once a week. May not have dates while calling.
- 3. Members of the class may go to the dentist or oculist in groups of two.
- 4. May attend church Sunday night in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 5. May have callers on Saturday evenings or Monday afternoons, and any one afternoon or evening except Monday evening and Sunday.
- 6. May shop Wednesday afternoon and any other two afternoons.
  - 7. May go to the Fair in groups of three.
- 8. May go to entertainments at night with young men twice a semester with a chaperon.
- 9. May go to ball games at the city auditorium in the afternoon, picture shows and matinees in groups of three.
- 10. May spend two Sundays in town a semester.

#### SENIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. May walk and shop alone any time of the day until 6:00 p.m.
- 2. May register and make calls in town once a week. May not have dates when calling.

- 3. May have callers on Saturday evenings or Monday afternoons, and any two afternoons or any two evenings in the week, except Monday evening and Sunday, or for special occasions, with the permission of the Dean of Women, may spend the afternoon or evening away from the College.
- 4. May go to ball games, matinees and pictures in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 5. May occasionally spend a Sunday in town. Not to exceed three Sundays each semester.
- 6. May have one extra week-end during the last six weeks.
- 7. May attend church Sunday nights in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 8. May go to ball games at the city auditorium and picture shows at night in groups of three, unchaperoned, provided they are in by 10 o'clock, and provided this is substituted for a date night, and provided this substitution be made not oftener than once a week.
- 9. May be excused from registering for Sunday School and church.
  - 10. May go to the Fair in groups of three.
- 11. May dine in town once a month, provided this is substituted for a date night.
- 12. May have light permission for the last six weeks.
- 13. During the last six weeks two Seniors, with their escorts, may go to ball games at the city auditorium and picture shows at night un-

chaperoned, provided they are in by 10 o'clock, and provided this is substituted for a date night, and provided this substitution be made not oftener than once a week.

- 14. Seniors may be granted extra privileges at the discretion of the Dean of Women during the last six weeks.
- 15. Six Seniors, approved by the Executive Committee of the faculty, may act in the capacity of official chaperons at the discretion of the Dean of Women.

#### HEALTH REGULATIONS

- 1. Permission to keep lights on after 10:30 by regular students, and after 11:00 p. m. by student officers, is granted only by the College Physician, or in her absence from the office of the Dean of Women.
- 2. Permission to practice, etc., before 6:00 a.m. granted in the same way.
- 3. Students being in the Infirmary or excused from work on account of sickness during the forenoon may not exercise social privileges during the afternoon or evening.
- 4. No food may be served, by students, to any girl who is sick.

#### HOUSEHOLD REGULATIONS

- 1. Bed-rooms must be in order by 9:30 a.m.
- 2. No trash may be swept into the corridors.
- 3. Bath-rooms must be left in order after using, and no soiled or wet clothes or dishes must be left in bath-rooms.

- 4. Furniture must not be removed from any room without the Matron's permission.
- 5. No student may, without permission from the Housekeeper, have colored women come to the room or to the dormitory corridors.

#### DINING-ROOM REGULATIONS

- 1. The dining-room doors shall be closed five minutes after the bell rings. Students may not enter after doors are closed without permission of dietitian or from Deans.
- 2. No food except fruit or cookies may be taken from the dining-room.
- 3. No dishes, silver, or other dining-room equipment may be taken from the dining-room, without the permission of the dietitian.
- 4. No student is expected to leave the diningroom in the evening until the whole table is excused. If necessary to be excused, ask the hostess and explain to her, then or later, the necessity for your request.

#### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students who are excused from physical education classes on account of physical disability, shall be debarred from playing basket ball or tennis.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

#### COLLEGE CALENDAR

In order to avoid confusion in the College Calendar, dates for all entertainments or organization meetings, which are likely to cause conflict, must be arranged with the Dean of Women, whether the original permission for the entertainments or meetings was granted by her or not. Presidents of clubs and all student organizations should register dates of regular and special meetings as far in advance as possible.

#### BUDGET

| S. G. (including Twig)\$  | 3.75 |
|---------------------------|------|
| Y. W. C. A                | 1.50 |
| Athletic Association      | .50  |
| Society (including Acorn) | 4.00 |
| Annual                    | 5.00 |
|                           |      |

\$14.75

This budget must be paid on the second Monday in October. Each student is required to pay it.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

There shall be a Fire Department maintained in College under the direction of the Student Government Association.

Each student is required to attend all drills. Regulations are posted in all rooms.

SECTION 1. Officers—their election and duties:

- (1) There shall be a Fire Chief chosen from the Senior Class and elected by the student body.
- (2) There shall be a Captain in each building elected by the Student Executive Committee.

- (3) There shall be as many First and Second Lieutenants in each building as deemed necessary by the Student Government Committee and Fire Chief.
- ${\rm Sec.}\ 2.$  (1) The duties of the Fire Chief shall be:
- a. To meet with the Student Executive Committee the opening week of the college year and choose captains and lieutenants.
- b. To make reports of fire drills and misdemeanors.
  - c. To instruct captains and lieutenants.
  - d. To call fire drills.
- (2) The duties of the captains shall be to notify the Fire Chief in case of fire and to preserve order during fire drill. They shall also report to the Fire Chief names of absentees and any additions in their divisions.
  - (3) The duties of first lieutenants shall be:
- a. To receive orders from captains as to which exit to take and to lead the line out of the building.
- b. To see that absolute quiet is observed during fire drill.
- c. To report to the captains names of those absent in their divisions.
- (4) The duties of second lieutenants shall be: To see that each room is vacant, doors open, windows and transoms closed, and to report to captains any violations of rules.

### Academic Regulations Not Printed in the Catalogue

#### ORDER OF CLASSIFICATION

- 1. Go to the President's office and register.
- 2. Then go across the hall to the Bursar's office and pay your matriculation fee of twenty-five dollars, which is necessary before you can be classified.
- 3. In return for this the Bursar will give you a receipt, which you must carry with you to the Dean's office, where you will be classified.
- 4. Unexcused absence will entail lowering of grade. Students will arrange with their instructors about making up work missed.
- 5. Students will receive zeros for cutting the last recitation in subjects before a holiday, and the first after a holiday.
- 6. Students may not miss class work or private lessons, or change them from one day to another, to make visits.
- 7. A student may not drop a subject or change her course without written permission from the Dean.
- 8. Students are required to take examinations in all subjects pursued during a semester.
- 9. Students may not take part in plays or other entertainments without the permission of the Dean. Ordinarily, permission will not be given to those who are not making grade, or who have more than sixteen hours of work per week.

- 10. A student failing to pass on at least eighteen semester hours in any given school year will not be allowed to return for the next session, whether her failures be due to unpreparedness or to indifference to studies. She will not be allowed to return for the spring semester unless she has passed on at least three hours of work during the preceding fall semester.
- 11. Permission to practice plays or hold meetings of any nature, during study hour, is granted only by the Dean of Women.
- 12. Students whose names appear on the delinquent list will be deprived of social privileges at the discretion of the instructors concerned and the Dean of Women.
- 13. For out-staying their leave, without proper excuse, or for any other irregularity in connection with week-end visits, students will be deprived of future week-end privileges, at the discretion of the Dean of Women. If it is the last week-end, the case will be acted upon by the Faculty.
- 14. An absence from any College duty just preceding or following a holiday will mean more than an unexcused absence and will be acted upon by the Faculty.

#### REGULATIONS FOR TUTORING

- 1. Students may tutor only with tutors who have been approved by the Dean and the head of the department.
- 2. The number of hours which a tutor may have will be determined by the Dean. (Ordi-

narily, three hours of tutoring will count as one academic hour.)

- Absences from tutoring lessons and unprepared will be reported and counted as if from regular class.
- 4. The price for tutoring lessons will be, under ordinary circumstances, thirty-five cents an hour for individual work. If there are more than one in a course the Dean and the tutor will determine the price.

#### MUSIC PRACTICE

- 1. Under all circumstances proctors will mark a student absent if she does not practice during the time assigned her.
- 2. Under no circumstances do proctors excuse students; therefore, do not make such requests of them. Make these requests of the Head Proctor.
- 3. Under all ordinary conditions students will practice at their regular time. If any one wishes to substitute some other hour, the permission of the Head Proctor must be obtained before the change is made; otherwise, the absence will not be excused.
- 4. When students are given the privilege of making up practice, it must be made up and so reported within three days from the time it was missed. Otherwise it will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 5. All students taking as much as two hours of practice are required to attend the student recitals on Thursday afternoons; any other

music student not having the equivalent of fifteen hours of work a week will be required to attend. An unexcused absence from recital will count as an absence from regular practice.

- 6. Every absence or tardiness should be explained to the Head Proctor at once. Unless so explained, after three days such delinquency will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 7. Three unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing from one to two hours a day.

Four unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing three or more hours a day.

In all cases two tardies count as one absence; leaving practice rooms without permission for visiting or other purposes will count as a tardy.

#### LIBRARY REGULATIONS

During the College year the Library is open daily, except Sundays, from 8:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m., 1:30 p. m. to 5:00 p. m., and 7:00 to 10:00 p. m., Saturday evenings excepted.

Students may borrow general books for two weeks, or for a shorter period, determined by the demand for the book. At the expiration of two weeks, books may be renewed for one week, provided that they are not needed by other persons. Books of fiction may be taken out for one week and renewed for three days. Any

book may be recalled by the librarian when needed in the Library.

Books must not be taken from the Library until they have been charged at the desk.

A fine of two cents a day will be charged for each day that an ordinary book is kept over time.

Reserved books are books that are kept in the Library for the use of special classes. On account of their special use, reserved books may be taken out only for the time when the Library is closed, and must be returned promptly when the Library opens.

A fine of ten cents an hour will be charged for each hour a reserved book is kept over time.

Fines not paid within a week from the date when the fine list is posted will be increased ten per cent.

When you are through using books in the Library, leave them on the tables. Do not return them to the shelves.

All books taken out of the Library must be returned to one of the Library assistants or left on the desk, not left on the tables.

Students found with missing library books in their possession will be subject to a penalty of two demerits for the first offense, and five demerits if the offense is repeated.

Students mutilating library books, magazines, or papers will be penalized by the Faculty on recommendation of the Library Committee.

Students creating disorder or disturbance in the library will be subject to call-downs for each offense. 43

#### GREETINGS TO '29

Greetings to the new Odd class— Hurrah for Twenty-nine! We just can't wait to see you— We know we'll like you fine!

We'll comfort you when homesick,

And make college seem like heaven—
Here's to you, dear young Twenty-nine,
From dear old Twenty-seven!

# YOUNG WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

#### MOTTO

"Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts."

#### GREETING

Through these pages we extend a most hearty welcome, in the name of the one for whose glory our Association is founded, to all students entering Meredith this fall. It is the earnest prayer of the committee that the Association not only be a blessing to you, but also that you may be a blessing to the Association.

"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth."—Psalm 121:1-2.

#### BLUE RIDGE SONG, 1924

Blue Ridge—mighty are thy mountains, Lofty peaks so high Make us feel we're nearer

To the sapphire sky.

Sky—serene, so blue, so wond'rous
Arched above the sod

Make us come e'en closer And nearer to our God.

We are gathered here together
With a common aim—
To learn to serve the Master—
To praise His Holy Name.

And perhaps we may tell others
Groping in the night,

Something of God's Mercy
And help them to the Light.

Light of Lights—be with us

While we're gathered here;

May we feel Thy presence

Always ever near.

When from Blue Ridge we have journeyed, Father, guide our way;

Lead our footsteps onward, To the Eternal Day.

AUGUSTA ANDREWS.

#### Work of Young Woman's Christian Association

| President Annabelle Abbott                 |
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| Vice-PresidentMARY HERRING                 |
| Secretary Geneva Benthall                  |
| TreasurerMARGARET HENDERSON                |
| COMMITTEES                                 |
| I. Religious ChairmanAugusta Andrews       |
| (a) MusicMarguerite Harrison               |
| II. Social StandardsALICE G. HUNSUCKER     |
| (a) HospitalityIRENE EDWARDS               |
| (b) Blue RidgeEMILY CHEEK                  |
| (c) "Y" RoomLucile Jones                   |
| III. Social ServiceTo be elected           |
| (a) On CampusAlberta Harris                |
| (b) Off CampusELIZABETH GRAHAM             |
| IV. Publicity ChairmanMARGARET HAYWOOD     |
| (a) PosterLois Stafford                    |
| (b) Library and Publications-              |
| Frances Harris                             |
| (c) ReporterMABEL ANDREWS                  |
| V. "Y" Store ChairmanBESSIE JACKSON        |
| VI. Y. W. A. PresidentMARY MISENHEIMER     |
| (a) Vice-PresidentMARY AYSCUE              |
| (b) SecretaryAnnie Mildred Kelly           |
| VII. B. Y. P. U. LeaderMARGUERITE HARRISON |

#### ADVISORY BOARD

Dr. Julia Harris Miss Annie Lee White Miss Mary Frances Welch

#### DEPARTMENTAL WORK

#### THE UNDERGRADUATE REPRESENTATIVE

#### MINNIE HERRIN

The Undergraduate Representative is the "connecting link" between the local association and the National Y. W. C. A. It is her duty to interpret to the cabinet and local association the purpose and work of the National and International organizations with which it is affiliated.

She is also the representative of the National Student Department on her own campus, and is responsible for carrying out the actions of the National Student Assemblies.

She is an ex officio member of each committee, and does in a general way all she can to make the work of the local association broad and far-reaching. It is also her duty to direct Bible study and discussion groups in the Y. W. C. A.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT

#### MARGARET HENDERSON, Chairman

This department has charge of the finances of the Y. W. C. A., and keeps a systematic account of all receipts and expenditures. A departmental budget system has been worked out, and has been used since 1923. From this summary some idea may be gained of how the associational money is spent.

This budget includes money given in, and sent out in every phase of Y. W. C. A. work.

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#### MEMBERSHIP DEPARTMENT

MARY HERRING, Chairman

It is the purpose of the Membership Department of the Young Womans Christian Association to help the girls to link themselves up with that organization in such a way as to make its purpose one of fellowship. At the beginning of the fall term the girls of this Department have charge of the Information Bureau, and are very desirous to make the new girls feel at home. It is only through the cooperation of every girl that our College Y. W. C. A. can reach the heights of our expectations. "United we stand, but divided we fall." We need you, girls!

#### RELIGIOUS WORK DEPARTMENT

AUGUSTA ANDREWS, Chairman

The work of the Religious Department is carried on through committees. These are: the Program Committee and the Music Committee.

It is the work of the Program Committee to arrange the programs for the regular meetings on Sunday. The purpose of this committee is to make real to the students of Meredith College the purpose of the Young Woman's Christian Association through these programs. Speakers are selected from the student body, faculty or from outside sources. The programs are interesting and helpful in every-day Christian life.

The Music Committee has charge of the choir for each religious meeting. It also arranges for any special music or musical programs.

#### PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT.

MARGARET HAYWOOD, Chairman

The work of the Publicity Department is carried on through committees, namely: the Bulletin Board Committee, the Library and Publication Committee, and the Poster Committee. The Y. W. C. A. editor is also a member of this department. Her business is to give Y. W. C. A. items of special interest to the local papers and to the College publications.

The Bulletin Board Committee keeps the girls informed concerning College happenings, current events, and Y. W. C. A. interests, by clippings and announcements, which are placed on the Y. W. C. A. bulletin board.

The Poster Committee, by means of attractive posters, announces the various Y. W. C. A. meetings and any other Y. W. C. A. functions in which the College is interested.

The Library and Publications Committee receives the Y. W. C. A. magazines, reads them, and calls attention to the best articles. These magazines, and a few good books, are kept in the "Y" Room, for the use of all the girls. These books and magazines are taken care of by the Library and Publications Committee, which also has charge of the current event section of the Y. W. C. A. Bulletin Board.

In short, the Publicity Department is the information bureau of the campus, and any member of it will be glad to give any information that they can to new students.

### Meredith College Library Raleigh, N. C.

#### SOCIAL STANDARDS DEPARTMENT

ALICE G. HUNSUCKER, Chairman

The purpose of the Social Standards Department is to uphold the social principles of Christ as applied to college life, to arrange for all social functions of the organization, and to act as hostess to any guest of the Y. W. C. A. who may visit the College.

The Blue Ridge Committee, which is included in this department, is appointed primarily to create interest in the summer conference at Blue Ridge. Its members have charge of the entertainments, teas, and the Christmas bazaar, which are given in this cause.

#### SOCIAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Chairman to be elected

The purpose of the Community Service Department is, as the name implies, Service.

The members of the Y. W. C. A. are all taken into this work, and are divided under the Committees of On Campus, and Off Campus workers. The On Campus Committee endeavors to invite the girls through a spirit of fellowship in Christian service in the College community work. The Off Campus Committee endeavors to go beyond our College community and do real Christian service wherever possible.

It is also the duty of the committee to keep the student body as a whole in touch with all current social movements, in order that the work of the community may be in harmony with that of the world.

#### YOUNG WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Y. W. A. Motto—Daniel 12:3: "They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament, and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and ever."

#### THE Y. W. A. IDEAL

Our Auxiliary stands for:

Prayer and the study of God's Word.

Study of God's work in His world and the advance of His Kingdom.

Giving thought, time and means to hasten the day when all men shall know Him.

Temperance in thought, word and deed and for the great cause of temperance in public and social life.

Christian observance of the Sabbath.

Consideration, gentleness and Christian responsibility for the "other young woman" with whom we come in contact on our campus, in our homes, our communities, and to the ends of the earth.

Christian womanhood which will maintain for itself and inculcate in others the highest standard of private and public integrity.

A determination to give no offense in dress, personal appearance, speech or deportment, nor in any way to shadow the purity and beauty of the Christlike character.

#### OUR Y. W. A. AT MEREDITH

The Y. W. A. of Meredith College is just like the Y. W. A. of your home church, except that it works on a larger scale. This organization welcomes you to Meredith College wholeheartedly. She wants you to become a live part of her aims and ideals. Let your relationship to your College Y. W. A. be merely a transitional step from the one you love in your home church.

The Y. W. A. yearns to help Meredith girls to be of greater service to the Baptists of North Carolina, who have so nobly made Meredith's past a blessing and are striving to make her future a greater blessing. With the coöperation of every girl and with God as our Shepherd this will not remain a longing, but will become a reality.

The Y. W. A. is willing to cooperate in any way it can with the interests of the Y. W. C. A., but wishes to be recognized more as a separate and distinct organization.

Two Sunday night vesper services a month are given under the auspices of the Y. W. A.; one program is of missionary character, the other devotional or of special campus interest. Baptist girls have an opportunity to continue giving to the special interests of her denomination, such as Orphanage, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and Hospital. A special interest of the Y. W. A. is its participation in contributing to the "Sisterhood Special," a fund given by the College Y. W. A.'s of our Southland to help worthy and capable European girls to study at our own W. M. U. Training School, that they

may go back to their own people prepared to give themselves with their Message. Interesting mission study classes are held at a convenient time during the year and each girl is urged to take advantage of this opportunity. We take an active part in a Good-Will-Center in one of the nearby mill districts of Raleigh. For the past two years our Meredith Y. W. A. has easily attained the Standard of Excellence, becoming in A-1 College Y. W. A. For 1925-26 our tasks are big and definite, our aims are high. We shall count on each Meredith girl to do her part in making their completion and realization possible. "He shall be our Shepherd and He shall ead us."

#### THE STUDENT VOLUNTEER BAND

| MINNIE HERRIN      | Leader              |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| MARGARET HENDERSON | Assistant Leader    |
| NANCY WOODS        | Secretary-Treasurer |

The Student Volunteer Band consists of students who have decided definitely to do mission work in foreign fields, and have signed the dedication card of the Student Volunteer Movement, which reads as follows: "It is my purpose, if God permits, to become a foreign missionary." The movement, as the name implies, is limited to *students*, and to such students as are planning to do foreign mission work.

The Band has one meeting each week, on Friday evening, from 6:45 to 7:45, to discuss

current mission news and problems. Occasionally an outside person speaks to the Volunteers.

We are looking forward with real joy and hearts full of prayer to the arrival of the class of '29 at Meredith. Our supreme desire is that He, the Great Missionary, shall call many to carry His gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth, and that they shall answer: "Here am I, Lord, send me."

#### B. Y. P. U.

#### MARGUERITE HARRISON, Chairman

The purpose of the B. Y. P. U. is two-fold: To minister to and develop the spiritual nature of girls, and to train them for active service in their home churches. Through the B. Y. P. U they are trained in devotion, doctrine, Bible study, and missions. Thus they come to a better understanding of denominational work, and go back to their homes with added efficiency.

For the past years the B. Y. P. U. has been organized in four sections, each named for a Meredith alumna on the foreign field—Rosa Hocutt, Foy Willingham, Celia Herring, and Pearl Johnson. This year another section is to be organized, named for a former Dean of Women, Evelyn Campbell, under whose leadership the first B. Y. P. U. at Meredith was organized. Each division meets separately every Wednesday evening, unless a general meeting is called by the Head President. Thus they are kept in close touch with each other, though they are

distinct. The foremost aim of the organization is to enlist every girl in the work for Jesus Christ and to strive to maintain the Standard of Excellence.

#### THE CABINET POLICY

#### Purpose of the Association:

- a. To lead students to faith in God through Jesus Christ.
- b. To lead them into membership and service in the Christian Church.
- c. To promote their growth in Christian faith and character, especially through the study of the Bible.
- d. To influence them to devote themselves in united efforts with all Christians to making the will of Christ effective in human society, and to extending the Kingdom of God throughout the world.

#### Aim of the Cabinet:

To carry out the purpose of the Association by endeavoring:

- 1. To bring every girl into fellowship work.
- 2. To live unreservedly Jesus' Law of Love in every relationship, and so to know God.
  - 3. To eliminate pernicious campus gossip.
- 4. To stand for a higher standard of honor in both obligations and class room relations, cooperating individually and as a cabinet with the Dean of Women and the Student Council.

- 5. To meet every Sunday for counsel and definite prayer, and every Thursday night at 9:30 for prayer and discussion of work.
- 6. To seek to develop a spirit of initiative and a greater sense of responsibility among our College women.
- 7. To deepen the spiritual life of each girl individually, by prayerful, personal work, and by devotional meetings on Sunday evening in the chapel.
- 8. To spend part of each day in real prayer and faithful Bible study.
- 9. It shall be the duty of each member as committee chairman to broaden her horizon by:
  - a. Keeping in touch with the outside world through the reading of periodicals.
  - b. Informing herself of the national work through the reading of The Woman's Press.
  - 10. To give written monthly reports to the Secretary, and to keep careful records of all work for the help of the new Cabinet.
  - 11. To study campus, community, national, and international problems in the light of Jesus' Law of Love.
  - 12. To make our life purpose the purpose of this association, and let it be foremost in our lives.

# WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN THE YOUNG WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

To you who are entering College this fall for the first time, let us say a few words about why you should join the Y. W. C. A.

In the first place, you should begin your College life by identifying yourself with the Christian work of the school, for in this way you are brought under the best influences of the College course.

A girl's character is formed before her College course is ended. In the moulding of your character, do you wish to leave out Christ? Be sure, then, that you join the Y. W. C. A. at the beginning of your course, and thereby seize the opportunity for the development of your spiritual life.

You need spiritual inspiration as well as intellectual inspiration.

You are given a wonderful opportunity for serving Christ by winning for Him the lives of those who have never known Him.

In joining the Y. W. C. A. you are becoming a part of a world-wide student movement, which has for its members the strongest and most earnest students all over the world.

#### "HINTS TO THE WISE"

Come early and avoid the rush.

The different religious organizations on our campus are uniting in welcoming you to Mere-

dith. Look out for Y. W. C. A., Y. W. A., and B. Y. P. U. badges at the station.

Listen for the call of the night watchman, if you come on a night train.

Register as soon as possible after you arrive. After you register, go to the adjoining room, over the door of which *Information Bureau* will be printed in large letters, for any information.

Those wearing the above signified badges will gladly give you any assistance they can during the days of classification.

Writing materials and all such incidentals may be purchased at the "Y" Store.

Ask the former students any time. They are always anxious to help you.

Bring pillow cases, sheets, blankets, dresser and table covers with you. Your material for curtains had best be bought here, so you will have no trouble in fitting your windows. But this is not all. Every college girl wants an attractive room. So bring your sofa cushions, pictures, mottoes, and all those little fixings which add so much to a room. Remember that you will be here for nine months, and you certainly will enjoy life more in a cheerful room.

Somebody is more homesick than you are. Try to forget that you are lonely and do something for that other girl.

The three bulletin boards—the official bulletin board, near the Chemistry laboratory, the Student Government bulletin board, next to the mail boxes, and the Y. W. C. A. bulletin board,

at the entrance to Faircloth Hall, are very important. Watch them.

Remember to patronize the firms that advertise in our publications. "Turn about is fair play."

The library is for quiet study. If you talk, it misses its purpose.

At twilight, when you feel the "blues" coming on, make a rush for the Y. W. C. A. room—No. 2, first floor, East Building. The "blues" can't exist there at any time—day or night.

When you want to cook, sign up for the "Y" kitchenette.

#### CHURCHES

There are Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Catholic, Christian, and Lutheran churches in Raleigh. Every student is allowed to attend the church for which she has a preference. The first two Sundays after school opens, the students are allowed to visit different churches of their denomination. After that they must fully decide what church they prefer to attend regularly.





#### ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

#### **OFFICERS FOR 1925-1926**

| GRACE NEATHERY  | President      |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Lois Stafford   | Vice-President |
| LORRAINE SAWYER | Secretary      |
| AURELIA GARREN  | Treasurer      |

New girls, we welcome you! We would say to you—"Let 'pep' be your motto in athletics"—for there's nothing like it, whether for your class or for your Alma Mater. Start out by adjusting your Academic work in such a way that you will be able to take part in all College sports—basketball, relay races, tennis tournaments, track meets, walking, swimming, etc.

#### BASKETBALL

Each class has a team and inter-class games are played for the championship. The winning class is awarded a loving cup.

#### SCHEDULE

| Final—Seniors | v. | SophomoresFebruary | 13 |
|---------------|----|--------------------|----|
| Final—Juniors | v. | FreshmenFebruary   | 18 |
| Championship  |    | February           | 23 |

The five best players in school receive monograms and compose the varsity team.

#### TENNIS

The tennis teams of each class meet in the early spring and compete for the championship. Those on the winning team receive monograms.

#### SCHEDULE

| Final—Seniors | v. | SophomoresApril | 15         |
|---------------|----|-----------------|------------|
| Final—Juniors | v. | FreshmenApril   | 23         |
| Championship  |    | April           | <b>2</b> 9 |

#### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

From the middle of October until Field Day in May, regular gymnasium exercises are required of all students except Seniors, for two hours each week. Those attaining the greatest efficiency throughout the year are awarded honors on Field Day.

Any girl who is interested in walking is urged to become a member of the "Hikers Club." Any student who walks six hundred miles receives an "M"; for five hundred miles an "M. C."

In the coming year, 1925-1926, we are hoping that all girls will take a more active interest in Athletics than ever before, because in the near future we are hoping to take up inter-collegiate athletics, and there's where Meredith must make a "rep"! So, come determined to make the 'varsity team.

#### THE LITERARY SOCIETIES

The two Literary Societies offer a splendid field for individual activities and development along both social and literary lines.

The purpose of both the Astrotekton and Philaretian Societies is to help students combine their academic work in a practical way

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with their social life, and to cultivate an interest in outside and current affairs. Society work offers excellent opportunity for self-expression and expansion.

New members, having relatives who are at present or who were formerly members of either of the two societies, and wishing to be identified with this society, will please file with the listed president of the preferred organization her application for membership by August 15th. Applications filed after this date will be referred to the Inter-Society Committee for consideration.

Both societies are looking forward with pleasure to the coming of the new girls, and extends a cordial welcome and invitation to the Class of '29.

#### **OFFICERS**

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The Twig is the official organ of the student body of Meredith College and is issued weekly. Its purpose is to give expression to the views of the students through the "Open Forum" column, to reflect the happenings which concern the students by means of the editorials, and to keep the alumnae in closer touch with each other and their Alma Mater through the alumni news. The Twig is a member of the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, deriving great benefit from its contact with other college papers through this medium. The Twig needs the coöperation of the student body and must have it if it is to continue to exist and grow.

#### THE TWIG STAFF

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The Acorn is the literary publication of the College, published once a month by the Philaretian and Astrotektron Literary Societies. It is a product of the student body and represents the highest grade of literary ability of the students. Publication of work is not limited to any

one department, correct, informative, and attractive English being the chief requirement. The work of any classmen or of any department is appreciated and published if it first reaches the standard expected of a college magazine. The purpose of The Acorn this year will be to make it read, liked, contributed to, and supported more widely and warmly than heretofore by the entire student body. The Acorn wishes to enlarge its vision and its circle of readers, at the same time adhering to a worthy literary standard. The chief means by which it is accomplishing this purpose is through membership in the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association which is doing a fine and active work in promoting the journalistic and literary work of college publications. Each student receives The Acorn monthly after payment of the budget fee. It will be mailed to any address upon receipt of the subscription price and address by the business manager. The memhers of the editorial staff are as follows:

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The Oak Leaves is the college annual, published by the Philaretian and Astrotekton Literary Societies. Unlike The Acorn, it is not essentially of a literary nature, but its purpose is to represent every phase of college life, including all the classes, all college and student organizations and clubs, thus aiming to portray our life as it really is. Although each of these phases has its place, the Senior class is correctly accorded the most prominence.

Every girl receives the annual by paying the yearly budget. Anyone else desiring one should make the proper arrangements with the business manager.

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#### GLEE CLUB

The Meredith Glee Club was organized in the fall of 1919 and since has become an integral part of college life through its noteworthy success. It is composed of twenty of the best voices in the school. Students from all depart-

ments are eligible, as only academic requirements have to be met.

The Glee Club is directed by Dr. Dingley Brown, head of the Department of Music, and under his leadership is making rapid strides toward vocal perfection among themselves and greater musical appreciation among the student body as a whole.

| MARGUERITE BLACKSTOCK | President         |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
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| CLARISSA POTEAT       | Treasurer         |
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## THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

The International Relations Club meets the need of the students for a more thorough study and discussion of international problems and relations of the present day. Juniors and Seniors who are taking elective courses in History are eligible for membership. The Club meets once a month and has as its advisor Professor Riley, head of the History Department.

The officers for the year 1925-1926 are:

| JENNIE MAE HARTSFIELD | President           |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| INEZ HOLLOWAY         | Secretary-Treasurer |

#### CLASSICAL CLUB

The Classical Club was organized in September, 1921, to fill a long-felt need among the students especially interested in Latin and Greek. Its purpose is to supplement the work of the classroom, adding things of vital interest to those pursuing a classical education. In addi-

tion, it affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

Students taking advanced work in Latin and those electing Greek are eligible for membership in the club. Other students' upon a recommendation from teachers in the department, may be invited to become members also.

JANE BEAVERS...PresidentBLANCH BANKS...Vice-PresidentMARY AYSCUE...Secretary

## THE "MATH" CLUB

Often you hear some student say, "Are you majoring in math?" To an affirmative answer there comes, "Well, you are the craziest person I ever saw." If this is true, this is a club of crazy students who meet together the first Monday of each month to study and discuss the problems and history of mathematics with the goal or arousing a greater interest in the higher courses in this subject. Those students who have finished Math I are eligible for membership, and, too, those who are taking Math I who are especially interested may become associate members.

(Officers to be elected.)

#### THE COLTON ENGLISH CLUB

The object of this club, as stated in the constitution, is to stimulate and cultivate interest in—

- 1. Good written and spoken English.
- 2. Reading of good literature.

All students who are electing or have elected English are eligible to membership. Upper classmen, upon application, may become members if accepted by the club.

Although not organized until the fall of 1922, the English Club has inaugurated many measures for the improvement of both written and oral speech.

During the year 1924-1925 joint meetings with the N. C. State College and St. Mary's Clubs were held monthly. By means of this coöperative plan speakers of note were secured and great pleasure and benefit derived.

ELIZABETH PURNELL President

(Other officers to be elected at the beginning of the year.)

#### THE CURIE CHEMISTRY CLUB

The purpose of the Curie Chemistry Club is to further the interest in chemistry. All girls taking advanced chemistry may, with the approval of the professor of the department, become members of this Club. The regular meetings are held once a month.

#### OFFICERS

(Other officers to be elected.)

#### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The object of the Home Economics Club is to stimulate interest in the study of Home Economics. All students who have taken or who are taking work in the Home Economics Department of the College are eligible for membership. The following are the officers who have been elected for 1925-1926:

| MARGARET WILKINSON | President           |
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#### ALMA MATER

We salute thee, Alma Mater, we salute thee with a song,

At thy feet our loyal hearts their tributes lay;

We had waited for thy coming, in the darkness waited long,

Ere the morning star proclaimed thy natal day.

Thou hast come through tribulation, and thy robe is clean and white,

Thou art fairer than the summer in its bloom.

Thou art born unto a kingdom, and thy crown is all of light;

Thou shalt smile away the shadow and the gloom.

In thy paths the fields shall blossom and the desert shall rejoice,

In the wilderness a living fountain spring:

For the blind shall see thy beauty, and the deaf shall hear thy voice,

And the silent tongues their high hozannas sing.

Where the rhododendron blushes on the burly mountain's breast,

In the midland where the wild deer love to roam.

Where the water-lily slumbers while the cypress guards its rest.

Lo, thy sunny land of promise and thy home.

Where the sons of Carolina taught a Nation to be free,

And her daughters taught their brothers to be brave:

O'er the land of peaceful plenty, from the highlands to the sea,

May thy banner, Alma Mater, ever wave.

R. T. VANN.

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## A DAY'S PROGRAM

| A.M.                   |
|------------------------|
| Rising bell            |
| First breakfast bell   |
| Breakfast 7:45         |
| First class 8:30       |
| Second class           |
| Chapel10:30            |
| Third class11:00       |
| Fourth class12:00      |
| P.M.                   |
| Lunch 1:00             |
| Fifth class1:30        |
| Laboratory             |
| First dinner bell 5:45 |
| Dinner 6:00            |
| Study hour             |
| Visiting bell10:00     |
| Room bell10:20         |
| Light bell10:30        |

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

#### FALL:

For new girls especially-

S. G. and B. S. U. reception.

"Y" room entertainments.

Society reception and entertainments.

Wake Forest Founders' Day.

Stunt night.

Inter-class basketball games.

Society Day.

Y. W. C. A. Christmas Party.

#### SPRING:

Founders' Day.

Student Government Association Reception.

Wake Forest Anniversary.

Y. W. C. A. Reception.

Class entertainments.

Tennis tournaments.

Manager and De de

Masquerade Party. May Festival.

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## STATEMENT FROM THE TRUSTEES FOR THE HANDBOOK

The Board of Trustees approves the adoption and operation by the Faculty and the Student Body of what is commonly known as Student Government; subject, however, to the following limitations:

- 1. The following matters are reserved from Student control, and as to these the Faculty and the officers of the College shall have control:
  - a. All academic matters.
  - b. All matters affecting the health of the students.
  - c. Chapel exercises and conduct therein.
  - d. Organization of clubs and societies.
  - e. Control of College property.
- 2. To the President, to the Dean, and to the Dean of Women, with their respective committees, is reserved the right to handle special cases of discipline, which in their judgment can best be handled in this way; subject to the rights of the Trustees to review the same, if the Trustees so desire.
- 3. The Trustees reserve all powers and authority not hereinbefore specifically granted to others and reserve the right to modify or repeal this grant of authority at any time in their discretion.



# STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

#### **OFFICERS**

| GLADYS COX          | President      |
|---------------------|----------------|
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NANNIE MAE JACKSON, Vice-President.

Dormitory B-

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LOUISE SULLIVAN, Vice-President.

Dormitory D-

VALERIA BELLE NICHOLS, President. ELLEN JOHNSON, Vice-President.

Fire Chief—RACHEL DANIEL.
Cheer Leader—Elise Matthews.

#### STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

Student Government means all the Meredith girls, with a real Meredith sense of honor, working together to make Meredith the best college possible.

The Honor System is the basis of our policy. This means that in its application to the conduct of its members each girl is to be trusted to observe all the laws of the Student Government Association. These laws are made by the students themselves, and approved by the faculty. As long as a student is a member of the Association it is expected that she feel not only a personal responsibility in abiding by its laws, but a responsibility to the community, seeing to it that her fellow-students live up to the same standard of honor.

It is only through the spirit of coöperation that any system of self-government can rise to an ideal plane of efficiency.

The spirit of the Student Association is the real college spirit, and a loyal student spirit means not only a coöperating student organization, but clean athletics, religious organizations, and working literary societies. The success of any organization in college depends on the attitude of the girls toward the Student Government Association. We must work together for the common good of all before we can work in groups in smaller organizations. The Student Government encourages loyalty to all organizations, promptness in all duties, and a spirit of love and friendship among the girls.

## CONSTITUTION

#### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

This Association shall be called the STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MEREDITH COLLEGE.

#### ARTICLE II

#### OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be the government of the student body.

#### ARTICLE III

#### MEMBERSHIP

- SECTION 1. All resident students, upon registration at Meredith, shall automatically become members of the Student Government Association. Nonresident students are under immediate jurisdiction of the association, except in matters which are naturally under the control of their parents or guardians.
- Sec. 2. Since each student in coming to Meredith accepts college citizenship involving self-government under the Honor System, she assumes the following obligations:
- 1. To inform herself as to the academic and non-academic responsibilities which are matters of college honor.

- 2. To conform her own conduct to the Meredith standards of honor and to fulfill her community duty by coöperating in holding others to those standards, as follows:
  - a. By reporting herself for breach of conduct,
    - (1) In non-academic matters
      - (a) In dormitory—to House President.
      - (b) In all other cases—to President of Student Government.
    - (2) In academic matters to
      - (a) Instructor, or
      - (b) President of Student Government.
  - b. By asking offenders to report themselves.
  - c. By putting the matter before the proper authorities if the offender refuses to report herself.
- Sec. 3. Each freshman vote will count as one-half.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### OFFICERS-THEIR ELECTION AND DUTY

- SECTION 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer.
- Sec. 2. (a) The President shall be chosen from the incoming Senior class.
- (b) The officers and House Presidents shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting held the second Monday in March, except the President, who shall be elected ten days previous to the above date, followed by the nomination and

election of the B. S. U., Athletic, and Society presidents and the Editors-in-Chief of the Student publications, in the order above mentioned. These major officers of the college organizations shall have been elected and the nominations for minor Student Government officers posted three days before the second Monday in March.

- (c) The officers shall enter upon their duties at the beginning of the fall term.
- Sec. 3. (a) It shall be the duty of the President to preside over all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to appoint any call meetings she may consider necessary, and to appoint all committees not otherwise provided for in these articles.
- (b) The duties of the Vice-President shall be the same as those of the President, should the President at any time be unable to perform her duties.
- (c) It shall be the duty of the Secretary to record the proceedings of all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to post all official notices, to submit to the Dean the lists of members, officers, committees, and other bodies appointed by the Association.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a strict and permanent account of all receipts and expenditures, to collect fines, to present a report at the annual meetings of the Association, and to perform other duties that may devolve upon her as Treasurer of the Association.

#### ARTICLE V

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

- SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers of the Association, House Presidents, Vice-House Presidents (provided the total number of the whole committee does not exceed fourteen), and one representative from each of the two lower classes.
- Sec. 2. (a) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to meet every week, to enforce the rules of the Association, and to consider business of that body.
- (b) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to divide the corridors into districts, and to determine the tenure of office of the proctors.
- (c) The Executive Committee may, at its discretion, summon before it and reprimand any member or members of the Association. The committee shall have the right to withdraw privileges from and to impose penalties upon any member or members of the Association. These, however, shall be reported to the Advisory Committee before being put into effect. The penalties of demerits, suspension and expulsion shall be subject to the approval of the faculty or a committee representing the faculty.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to consider proposed regulations and to refer such as are adopted to the student body to be voted upon. The regulation, if passed by

the student body, will go before the faculty for approval or disapproval.

- Sec. 3. (a) The Advisory Committee shall consist of the Dean of Women and two other members of the faculty elected annually by the Student Executive Committee.
- (b) The duties of the Advisory Committee shall be to receive reports from the Executive Committee and to confer with that committee whenever occasion may demand.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

- Section 1. (a) A meeting shall be held as soon as possible after the beginning of the college year, at which time the Constitution, By-Laws, and Regulations shall be read and explained.
- (b) A meeting shall be held the second Monday in March for the election of officers.
- (c) A meeting of the Association shall be called once each month for reports from the Executive Committee and discussion by the members.
- SEC. 2. Meetings of the Association may be called at any time by the President on her own motion, and must be called by her on the written request of ten members. The object of these special meetings shall be stated in writing when the request is made.
- Sec. 3. There shall be a special course of Freshman training in Student Government for

the new girls during the first few weeks in the fall. Attendance upon these meetings is compulsory. An examination will be given at the end of the course:

### ARTICLE VII

#### JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

Section 1. The judicial power of the Association shall be vested in—

- (a) The Association, which shall constitute a higher court, and which shall be a Court of Appeal from the decisions of the Executive Committee.
- (b) The Executive Committee, which shall constitute the lower court, and from which alone an appeal to the whole Association may be made.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### QUORUM

- Section 1. (a) One-third of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business.
- (b) Two-thirds of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the annual meeting in March, for any meeting in which an amendment or change in the Constitution is voted on, and when the Association is acting in its judicial capacity.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### AMENDMENTS

Section 1. An amendment may be proposed by the faculty, by the Student Executive Committee, or by any fifteen members of the Association. The proposed amendment shall be posted at least one week before it is presented to the Association, and shall be approved by the faculty of the College before its adoption.

## BY-LAWS

#### I

The rules contained in Roberts' Rules of Order shall govern the Association in all business meetings.

#### TT

- (a) The annual dues of the Association shall be one dollar and fifty cents.
- (b) A fine of fifty cents shall be imposed upon any member of the Association who is absent from a meeting without an excuse acceptable to the Executive Committee.

#### TTT

- (a) Nominations for officers shall be posted at least three days before election.
- (b) A plurality of votes cast shall elect all officers of the Association.

## ${\bf IV}$

- (a) Each college dormitory shall be divided into districts, each of which shall have a proctor. There shall be a House President for each house and a Vice-House President.
- (b) The House President, together with the proctors of the house, shall form a House Council, whose duties shall be to enforce all rules of the Association pertaining to the government of the house.

- (c) Every student within three weeks after the opening of the fall semester shall sign the following statement: "I have read the Constitution, By-Laws, and Regulations of the Student Government Association. I realize that I am on my honor to keep and enforce the rules of the Association, and I pledge myself to observe the same and to try to be a consistent member."
- (d) There shall be regular meetings of the House Council every two weeks.
  - (e) Proctors will not give permissions.
- (f) The Vice-House President shall act in the absence of the House President and assist her as occasion demands.

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In addition to the Student Government Executive Committee there shall be a College Council, composed of both the Faculty and Student Executive Committees. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman. The Council shall meet on Tuesday afternoon before the first Wednesday in each month.

The duties of this Council shall be:

- 1. To officially represent the student body.
- 2. To study the problems of the college community and to suggest solutions for the same.
- 3. To consider the constitution of all organizations arising in the student body, and to pass upon those whose purpose shall be of benefit to the student body; and to classify them according to their importance and relation to other college activities.

There shall also be a Nominating Committee, composed of the Presidents of the major student organizations, the editors-in-chief of the student publications, the class presidents, the Dean of Women, and three Faculty members, chosen by the student members of the nominating committee. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman of this committee.

The duties of this committee shall be:

- 1. To act as Nominating Committee.
- 2. To see that the point system is enforced.

## STUDENT REGULATIONS

The following regulations have been adopted to govern college life at Meredith because they embody recognized social obligations and standards and express the will of the majority as to rules under which they can best live together. Each member of the Student Government is therefore bound to uphold them as long as they stand. It is understood that the maintenance of these regulations is a matter of personal honor.

Students are under the college regulations from the time they reach Raleigh until they take the train to leave Raleigh, or until they have received permission from the Dean of Women to visit in the city at Christmas vacation or at the close of the session.

If any girl so conducts herself as to bring discredit upon Meredith, she may be dealt with by the Executive Committee, although there be no existing rule to cover the exact circumstances of the case.

#### I. House Rules

#### 1. Bells-

- (a) The rising bell will ring at 7:00 a.m., the light bell at 10:30 p.m., and the house will be quiet until rising bell.
- (b) Visiting bell will ring at 10:00 p.m.; room bell at 10:20 p.m.

#### 2. Quiet-

(a) Quiet must be observed during Silent Hour (2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.) on Sunday afternoons, and during the Study Hours of the day and night, which are:

Monday: 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.; 7:45 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.; 7:45 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

- (b) Under no circumstances will visiting during the Sunday Silent Hour be allowed unless permission has been obtained from the House President before 2:00 p.m.
- (c) Pianos may not be used on Sunday morning or during Silent Hour.
- (d) Students may not be absent from their rooms during Study Hour except for studying in the library, classrooms, or social rooms without permission from the House President.
- (e) With permission of the House President, girls may spend the night with friends in the same or other buildings. This applies to week nights. On Saturday and Sunday nights they simply register with the House President.

#### II. Guests

1. Students may entertain lady callers in their rooms except during the Study Hours of morning, afternoon and evening or Silent Hour, provided they have registered in the guest book.

- 2. Students may see out of town guests for fifteen minutes. In this case, college students (Wake Forest, Duke, Carolina) are not considered out-of-town guests. Underclassmen may not receive callers during Study Hour.
- 3. Because of the lack of guest chambers, students may not entertain their friends overnight at the college without permission from the Dean of Women.
- 4. Guests may be entertained in the dormitory over the week-end only on the following conditions:
- (a) That permission has been secured, in advance, from the office of the Dean of Women.
- (b) That no more students sleep in the room than there are single beds in the room.
- (c) That they are informed of all house rules and are willing to comply with all.

## III. TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAMS

- 1. The pay-station telephone may not be used during Study Hour.
- 2. Permission to send telegrams or long-distance messages may be obtained from the Dean of Women during her office hours, or from the Secretary to the President. Such messages must be paid for in advance.

#### IV. REGISTRATION

- 1. Students will not leave the College grounds without registering except for walking nearby.
  - 2. In registering please observe the following: Write your name legibly and neatly.

State the name of your chaperon.

State when you will leave.

State the exact place you are going (giving full address), and expected time of return.

Immediately upon your return sign the exact time of reaching the College.

Students may not register for each other.

- 3. Students will register in office of the Dean of Women for callers. This must be done before dinner of the evening upon which the call is made.
- 4. When shopping, calling, riding, etc., in the afternoon, students must register back on the campus at 6 o'clock.

### V. CHAPEL AND CHURCH

1. Chapel attendance is required of all students, unless excused in advance at the office of Dean of Women. Students must be in their places when the organist begins playing, after which time talking is forbidden.

No books will be taken into chapel.

- 2. Students may choose any church as a church home within the first three weeks after school opens, and register the same on their schedule cards, and in the Sunday School and church roll books.
- 3. Students must mark themselves present or tardy each Sunday in the Sunday School roll book. When away from the College or in the Infirmary absences will be checked and excused in the office of the Dean of Women.

Each girl is permitted to be absent from Sunday School and church five Sundays out of the year without excuse.

- 4. Students are allowed to attend other churches than their home church five Sundays out of the year. When visiting please state the name of the church.
- 5. Students must attend church where they attend Sunday School, except on the Sundays they visit other churches, in which case they may go directly from Sunday School to the church visited in groups of two or three.
- 6. Students may attend church at night with an approved upperclassman as chaperon.
- 7. Reports of absence and visiting other churches will be sent weekly to the office of the Dean of Women.

#### VI. WALKING AND SHOPPING

- 1. During the first four weeks in the fall Freshmen must be accompanied by old girls when walking off the campus or shopping.
- 2. Students may not walk or sit on the campus or porches during Sunday vesper service.

# VII. DELINQUENCIES

- 1. Each unexcused absence from any college duty will count as one delinquency, except absence from chapel, which will count as two. Two tardies will count as one absence.
- 2. Any student receiving nine delinquencies during any six weeks will be debarred from exercising the privileges of the Student Government Association for four weeks. Students receiving nine during the last six weeks will lose their privileges for the two weeks before commencement.

3. Students will report within one day to the Dean of Women for any absence or tardiness from class; otherwise, they will go on the college record as unexcused delinquencies. Absences caused by illness may be excused by the nurse.

# VIII. SOCIAL

- 1. Students may dine with friends in town any three evenings during a semester, with a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women, provided they are back by Study Hour.
- 2. All invitations in the city must be sent by the hostess to the office of the Dean of Women.
- 3. Students may spend four week-ends a semester away from the College with written permission from parent or guardian, stating to whom the visit is to be made. All permissions must be mailed directly to the Dean of Women.
- 4. Any over-night absence from the College (whether on a holiday or a week-end), unless spent in Raleigh with members of the immediate family, will count as one of the four semester week-ends allowed.
- 5. Students may spend Sundays in town and let them count as week-ends, provided they leave the campus before Silent Hour begins—to return by 10:15 p.m. the same day.
- 6. When visiting in the city, students may appear on the streets or in public gatherings with young men, if chaperons have been approved by the Dean of Women. The hostess is considered an approved chaperon. This does not apply to resident students whose homes are in Raleigh.

- 7. Students may take part in studio parties twice a semester, or attend movies two evenings a semester.
- 8. With permission of the Dean of Women, students may go driving any one afternoon during the week, except Sunday, provided a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women has been secured.
- 9. Students, when attending social functions in the evening, must be in by 10:15 p.m.
- 10. When visiting, students may leave the College Saturday when work is finished, but they must be back at the College for their first appointment.
- 11. Students may attend ball games any one afternoon in the week, with an official chaperon, or on Saturday night with faculty chaperon.

# IX. OTHER REGULATIONS

- 1. Students do not carry on conversation with young men beyond simple greeting on the campus, at the libraries, in stores or on the street.
- 2. A committee, appointed by the President of the College, will censor all public performances and all printed matter.
- 3. Students do not visit restaurants, hotels, hospitals, railroad stations, or places of amusement without permission and a chaperon.
- 4. Hazing is absolutely forbidden. Any interference by one class with another class, or by members of one class with the members of another class, is included in the term hazing.

- 5. The punishment for cheating on examination, or elsewhere, will be expulsion, withdrawal of credits, or demerits, or a combination of the last two, at the discretion of Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.
- 6. Dancing and card-playing will not be permitted. As cards may not be used for any purpose whatsoever at Meredith College, you are asked not to have them in your possession. In regard to these there is a difference of opinion, but all will agree that it is safe to replace them by other recreations.
- 7. Sororities of whatever name or kind, whether regular or irregular, affiliating or unaffiliating with similar organizations elsewhere, are absolutely prohibited. The punishment for this offense will be expulsion, demerits, or suspension, or a combination of any of these at the discretion of the Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.
- 8. Students may not return to Raleigh on trains arriving after 10:00 p.m., unless they have arranged for this in advance at the office of the Dean of Women.
- Alumnae are asked to register in the office of the Dean of Women when visiting the College. Calling hours and all house rules must be observed.
- 10. Among the offenses for which call-downs are administered are the following:
- (a) Failure to return to campus within prescribed time.
  - (b) Irregularity in registering.

- (c) Failure to say good night to callers within five minutes after bell rings.
  - (d) Misconduct in Chapel.
  - (e) Marks for untidy room.
  - (f) Violation of House Rules.
  - (g) Violation of library rules.
  - (h) Violation of dining room regulations.

# FRESHMEN PRIVILEGES

- 1. May shop in groups of two or more any one afternoon, except Saturday.
- 2. May attend the movies one afternoon a week, with an approved chaperon, provided they go on the shopping day.
- 3. For the first semester may have callers two Saturday evenings in a calendar month from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock.
- 4. For the second semester may have callers any Saturday evening from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock.
- 5. May go calling twice a month with permission, but may not have dates while calling.
- 6. May attend church at night with permission and an upperclassman as chaperon.

# SOPHOMORE PRIVILEGES

- 1. The class may have one evening off during the session, provided no member of the class is guilty of hazing in any manner whatever.
- 2. Members of the class may have callers on Monday afternoons from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock, or Saturday evenings from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock.
- 3. May shop in groups of two any two afternoons.

- 4. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women three times a month. May not have dates while calling.
- 5. May attend the movies one afternoon a week, with an approved chaperon, provided they go on the shopping day.

### JUNIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. Juniors, approved by the Dean of Women, may chaperon wherever student chaperonage is permissible.
- 2. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women once a week. May not have dates while calling.
- 3. Members of the class may go to the dentist or oculist in groups of two, provided the permission of the nurse has been secured.
- 4. May attend church Sunday night in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 5. May have callers on Saturday evenings or Monday afternoons, and any one afternoon or evening, except Monday evening and Sunday.
- 6. May shop in groups of two any three afternoons.
- 7. May go to entertainments at night with young men twice a semester with a chaperon.
- 8. May go to ball games at the city auditorium in the afternoon, picture shows and matinees in groups of three.
- 9. May spend two Sundays in town a semester. May ride in afternoon, provided permission from home has been secured.

#### SENIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. May walk and shop alone any time of the day until 6:00 p.m.
- 2. May register and make calls in town once a week. May not have dates when calling.
- 3. May have callers on Saturday evenings or Monday afternoons, and any two afternoons or any two evenings in the week, except Monday evening and Sunday, or for special occasions, with the permission of the Dean of Women, may spend the afternoon or evening away from the College.
- 4. May go to ball games, matinees and pictures in groups of two in the afternoon, three at night, without a chaperon.
- 5. May occasionally spend a Sunday in town, not to exceed three Sundays each semester. May ride in afternoons with hostess, provided permission has been secured.
- 6. May have one extra week-end during the last six weeks.
- 7. May attend church Sunday nights in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 8. May go to ball games at the city auditorium and picture shows at night in groups of three, unchaperoned, provided they are in by 10 o'clock, and provided this is substituted for a date night, and provided this substitution be made not oftener than once a week.
- 9. May be excused from registering for Sunday School and church.
- 10. May dine in town once a month, provided this is substituted for a date night.

- 11. May have light permission for the last six weeks.
- 12. During the last six weeks two Seniors, with their escorts, may go to ball games at the city auditorium and picture shows at night unchaperoned, provided they are in by 10:15, and provided this is substituted for a date night, and provided this substitution be made not oftener than once a week.
- 13. Seniors may be granted extra privileges at the discretion of the Dean of Women during the last six weeks.
- 14. Six Seniors, approved by the Executive Committee of the faculty, may act in the capacity of official chaperons at the discretion of the Dean of Women.

# HEALTH REGULATIONS

- 1. Permission to keep lights on after 10:30 by regular students, and after 11:00 p.m. by student government officers, is granted only by the College Physician, or in her absence from the office of the Dean of Women.
- 2. Appointments with doctors, other than College Physician, must be made by the nurse.
- 3. Permission to practice, etc., before 6:00 a.m. granted in the same way.
- 4. Students being in the Infirmary or excused from work on account of sickness during the forenoon may not exercise social privileges during the afternoon or evening.
- 5. No food may be served, by students, to any girl who is sick.

### HOUSEHOLD REGULATIONS

- 1. Bed-rooms and bath-rooms must be in order by 9:30 a.m.
  - 2. No trash may be swept into the corridors.
- 3. Furniture must not be removed from any room without the Matron's permission.
- 4. No student may, without permission from the Housekeeper, have colored women come to the room or to the dormitory corridors.

# DINING-ROOM REGULATIONS

- 1. The dining-room doors shall be closed ten minutes after the bell rings. Students may not enter after doors are closed without permission of dietitian or Dean.
- 2. No food, except fruit, cookies or candies, may be taken from the dining-room.
- 3. No dishes, silver, or other dining-room equipment may be taken from the dining-room, without the permission of the dietitian.
- 4. No student is expected to leave the diningroom in the evening until the whole table is excused. If necessary to be excused, ask the hostess and explain to her, then or later, the necessity for your request.

# PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students who are excused from physical education classes on account of physical disability, shall be debarred from playing basket ball or tennis.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

### COLLEGE CALENDAR

In order to avoid confusion in the College Calendar, dates for all entertainments or organization meetings, which are likely to cause conflict, must be arranged with the Dean of Women, whether the original permission for the entertainments or meetings was granted by her or not. Presidents of clubs and all student organizations should register dates of regular and special meetings as far in advance as possible.

#### BUDGET

| S. G. (including Twig)\$  | 3.75 |
|---------------------------|------|
| B. S. U                   | 2.25 |
| Athletic Association      | .50  |
| Society (including Acorn) | 4.50 |
| Annual                    | 3.75 |
|                           |      |

\$14.75

This budget must be paid on the second Monday in October. Each student is required to pay it.

# FIRE DEPARTMENT

There shall be a Fire Department maintained in College under the direction of the Student Government Association.

Each student is required to attend all drills. Regulations are posted in all rooms.

Section 1. Officers—their election and duties:

(1) There shall be a Fire Chief chosen from the Senior Class and elected by the student body.

- (2) There shall be a Captain in each building elected by the Student Executive Committee.
- (3) There shall be as many First and Second Lieutenants in each building as deemed necessary by the Student Executive Committee and Fire Chief.
- Sec. 2. (1) The duties of the Fire Chief shall be:
- a. To meet with the Student Executive Committee the opening week of the college year and choose captains and lieutenants.
- b. To make reports of fire drills and misdemeanors.
  - c. To instruct captains and lieutenants.
  - d. To call fire drills.
- (2) The duties of the captains shall be to notify the Fire Chief in case of fire and to preserve order during fire drill. They shall also report to the Fire Chief names of absentees and any additions in their divisions.
  - (3) The duties of first lieutenants shall be:
- a. To receive orders from captains as to which exit to take and to lead the line out of the building.
- b. To see that absolute quiet is observed during fire drill.
- c. To report to the captains names of those absent in their divisions.
- (4) The duties of second lieutenants shall be: To see that each room is vacant, doors open, windows and transoms closed, and to report to captains any violations of rules.

# Academic Regulations Not Printed in the Catalogue

### ORDER OF CLASSIFICATION

- 1. Go to the President's office and register.
- 2. Then go to the Bursar's office and pay your matriculation fee of twenty-five dollars, which is necessary before you can be classified.
- 3. In return for this the Bursar will give you a receipt, which you must carry with you to the Dean's office, where you will be classified.
- 4. Unexcused absence will entail lowering of grade. Students will arrange with their instructors about making up work missed.
- 5. Students will receive zeros for cutting the last recitation in subjects before a holiday, and the first day after a holiday.
- 6. Students may not miss class work or private lessons, or change them from one day to another, to make visits.
- 7. A student may not drop a subject or change her course without written permission from the Dean.
- 8. Students are required to take examinations in all subjects pursued during a semester.
- 9. Students may not take part in plays or other entertainments without the permission of the Dean. Ordinarily, permission will not be given to those who are not making grade, or who have more than sixteen hours of work per week.

- 10. A first-year student must pass three semester hours, a second-year student six semester hours, a third or fourth-year student nine semester hours during any given semester to be eligible for admission the next semester.
- 11. A first-year student must pass eighteen semester hours, all other students twenty-one, semester hours, during the year in order to be eligible for admission the next year.
- 12. Permission to practice plays or hold meetings of any nature, during study hour, is granted only by the Dean of Women.
- 13. Students whose names appear on the delinquent list will be deprived of social privileges at the discretion of the instructors concerned and the Dean of Women.
- 14. For out-staying their leave, without proper excuse, or for any other irregularity in connection with week-end visits, students will be deprived of future week-end privileges, at the discretion of the Dean of Women. If it is the last week-end, the case will be acted upon by the Faculty.
- 15. An absence from any College duty just preceding or following a holiday will mean more than an unexcused absence and will be acted upon by the Faculty.

### REGULATIONS FOR TUTORING

1. Students may tutor only with tutors who have been approved by the Dean and the head of the department.

- 2. The number of hours which a tutor may have will be determined by the Dean. (Ordinarily, three hours of tutoring will count as one academic hour.)
- 3. Absences from tutoring lessons and unprepared will be reported and counted as if from regular class.
- 4. The price for tutoring lessons will be-under ordinary circumstances, thirty-five cents an hour for individual work. If there are more than one in a course the Dean and the tutor will determine the price.

### MUSIC PRACTICE

- 1. Under all circumstances proctors will mark a student absent if she does not practice during the time assigned her.
- 2. Under no circumstances do proctors excuse students; therefore, do not make such requests of them. Make these requests of the Head Proctor.
- 3. Under all ordinary conditions students will practice at their regular time. If any one wishes to substitute some other hour, the permission of the Head Proctor must be obtained before the change is made; otherwise, the absence will not be excused.
- 4. When students are given the privileges of making up practice, it must be made up and so reported within three days from the time it was missed. Otherwise it will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 5. All students taking as much as two hours of practice are required to attend the student

recitals on Thursday afternoons; any other music student not having the equivalent of fifteen hours of work a week will be required to attend. An unexcused absence from recital will count as an absence from regular practice.

- 6. Every absence or tardiness should be explained to the Head Proctor at once. Unless so explained, after three days such delinquency will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 7. Three unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing from one to two hours a day.

Four unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing three or more hours a day.

In all cases two tardies count as one absence; leaving practice rooms without permission for visiting or other purposes will count as a tardy.

# LIBRARY REGULATIONS

During the College year the Library is open daily, except Sundays, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., and 7:00 to 10:00 p.m., Saturday evenings excepted.

Students may borrow general books for two weeks, or for a shorter period, determined by the demand for the book. At the expiration of two weeks, books may be renewed for one week, provided that they are not needed by other persons. Books of fiction may be taken out for one week and renewed for three days. Any

book may be recalled by the librarian when needed in the Library.

Books must not be taken from the Library until they have been charged at the desk.

A fine of two cents a day will be charged for each day that an ordinary book is kept over time.

Reserved books are books that are kept in the Library for the use of special classes. On account of their special use, reserved books may be taken out only for the time when the Library is closed, and must be returned promptly when the Library opens.

A fine of ten cents an hour will be charged for each hour a reserved book is kept over time.

Fines not paid within a week from the date when the fine list is posted will be increased ten per cent.

When you are through using books in the Library, leave them on the tables. Do not return them to the shelves.

All books taken out of the Library must be returned to one of the Library assistants or left on the desk, not left on the tables.

Students found with missing library books in their possession will be subject to a penalty of two demerits for the first offense, and five demerits if the offense is repeated.

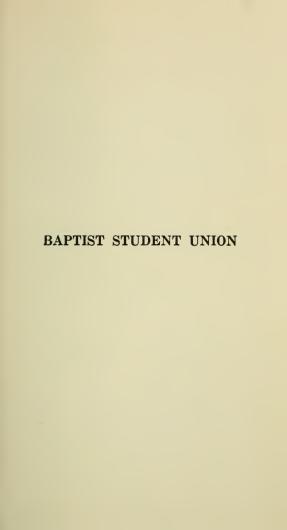
Students mutilating library books, magazines, or papers will be penalized by the Faculty on recommendation of the Library Committee.

Students creating disorder or disturbance in the library will be subject to call-downs for each offense.

# GREETING TO '30

We welcome you, our sister class; We're glad that you are ours, And may your life at Meredith Be marked by happy hours.

We know you're going to be just fine,
And we can hardly wait
To see you and let you know
The love of '28.



### MOTTO

"Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."—PHILIPPIANS 4:8.

### GREETING

As members of the Southern Baptist Student Union we heartily welcome you to Meredith. May you find here Christian friendship, opportunities for service, and a deeper knowledge of Jesus Christ.

# PURITY

Thou, highest star,
In a well-filled Heaven,
Radiating purposely,
Sending thy gleams into empty, barren hearts,
Gleams of crystal joy,
Devoid of sordidness;
Enter forever my heart,
O perfect Purity,
The spirit of the matchless Christ!

# OFFICERS OF BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

# B. S. U.

| President               | MARY FRANCES | BIGGERS        |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Vice-President          | FLORENCE     | STAKES         |
| Secretary               | HELEN (      | OLDHAM         |
| Treasurer               | FRANCES      | HARRIS         |
| Corresponding Secretary | BESS '       | <b>Т</b> номаѕ |

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| Secretary |          | Ev    | ELYN   | JOLLY |

# STUDENT VOLUNTEERS

# FOREIGN SERVICE

| Leader     |            | MILDRED  | Braswell  |
|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| Assistant  | Leader     | LEAH     | ANDREWS   |
| Secretary. | -Treasurer | ANNIE MA | AE JORDAN |

# HOME SERVICE

| President           | MADALINE ELLIOTT  |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Vice-President      | LOTTIE MITCHEM    |
| Faculty AdviserMiss | MARY LOOMIS SMITH |

# BAPTIST STUDENT UNION CONSTITUTION

### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of the general religious activity of Meredith College shall be Southern Baptist Student Union.

# ARTICLE II

#### MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall include the unit religious organizations on the campus.

# ARTICLE III

#### OBJECT

The object of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be as follows:

First. To strengthen, correlate and unify all of the separate unit religious organizations (Y. W. A., Y. W. C. A., B. Y. P. U., Volunteer Bands) into one campus organization with one all-inclusive program of religious activity.

Second. To advocate and advance in every wise way the several objects of the various unit religious organizations.

Third. To enlist vitally, in and through the separate unit organizations, every student and community member of the institution in that

religious activity or activities which she needs for her highest Christian development and spiritual growth.

Fourth. To direct all religious activities on the campus.

# ARTICLE IV

#### OFFICERS

There shall be the following officers: President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer.

# ARTICLE V

#### EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

There shall be an Executive Council of the Southern Baptist Student Union, which shall consist of the officers of the Southern Baptist Student Union and one member representing each unit organization having membership in the Southern Baptist Student Union.

There shall be a Baptist representative of the faculty.

There shall be one member elected by the Southern Baptist Student Union representing "External Relations." It shall be her duty to keep the Council informed as thoroughly as possible as to all related or relevant religious matters, activities and movements which should affect the religious life of the school, such as student movements, conventions and campaigns, which are not otherwise brought to the knowledge of the local campus. She should be informed as to the student activities of all de-

nominations as well as inter-denominational student movements. She should have access to the leading student publications. Through her all extraneous matter should be presented to the Executive Council. She is responsible for informing the Council of relevant "current events."

The Southern Baptist Student Union may, at will, elect new members to the Executive Council, or discontinue those that may become unnecessary.

The President of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be chairman of the Executive Council.

### ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

SECTION 1. The Executive Council shall meet twice each month on Monday, at 9:30 p.m.

SEC. 2. The Southern Baptist Student Union, as such, shall meet as often as is necessary to maintain a proper *esprit de corps*.

### ARTICLE VII

#### COMMITTEES

SECTION 1. Executive. The Executive Council of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be the Executive Committee.

Sec. 2. Statistical. The Recording Secretary shall be chairman of the Statistical Committee, whose duty it shall be to secure weekly reports of the members of the Executive Council as to the membership in and attendance upon the

various unit organizations. These reports shall be diligently recorded, posted and published.

Sec. 3. Special. Other permanent or special committees may be appointed at the will of the President of the Southern Baptist Student Union.

Sec. 4. Ex Officio. The President of the Southern Baptist Student Union and the President of the College shall be ex officio members of all committees.

# ARTICLE VIII

#### BUDGET

A budget shall be made each year of the necessary expenses of the Southern Baptist Student Union. Each unit shall share proportionately in this budget.

# ARTICLE IX

#### RECOGNITION

The President, the Faculty, and the Board of Trustees shall be urged to vest in this Southern Baptist Student Union that prestige and power which shall make it the governing factor, subject at all times to the higher school authorities, of the religious life and activities of the students of the campus.

The institution shall be asked to support and sanction the entire Southern Baptist Student Union.

#### BY-LAWS

# ARTICLE I

#### ELECTIONS

The officers of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be elected annually, as near as possible to sixty days before the spring commencement of the institution.

New officers shall assume their responsibilities six weeks before the spring commencement.

### ARTICLE II

### OFFICERS' DUTIES

The duties of the officers and the members of the Executive Council shall be those commonly assigned to similar officers in like organizations, or as is otherwise designated.

# ARTICLE III

### EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

It shall be the special duty of the Executive Council to review the entire organized religious activity and program of the institution; to prevent over-organization and unnecessary over-lapping of activities; to contemplate the religious and spiritual needs and developments of every student in the institution; to agree upon all religious activities of the institution before presentation to the student body; to correlate and propagate all religious activities of the institution.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### AMENDMENTS

The Constitution and By-Laws may be changed at any meeting of the Southern Baptist Student Union, provided the Executive Council approves the change and that two weeks notice has been given, and three-fourths of a determined quorum vote for such changes.

# Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. is an important unit in the religious life at Meredith. It is affiliated with the National Board of Young Women's Christian Associations and tries to keep in touch with the various organizations of its kind throughout the South. The national objective, which is the ideal of our Y. W. C. A. at Meredith, is: "We unite in the determination to live unreservedly Jesus' law of love in every relationship, and so to know God."

The purpose of our Y. W. C. A. for 1926-27 is to unite the student body, consisting of several denominations, in earnest service for Christ. We welcome every new girl and urge all to join with us in our purpose in order that the Association might effectively fulfill its highest ideal.

Two Sunday evening vesper services each month are devoted to the Y. W. C. A. Those planning the programs strive to make them helpful to each individual.

The cabinet, composed of the members listed below, meets weekly to discuss all problems that may arise and to devise any scheme possible for promoting higher ideals on our campus.

Manager of "Y" Store.....RUTH TRUESDALE Assistants at "Y" Store,

ZELMA HOCUTT, GLADYS BEEKER

# Y. W. C. A. COMMITTEES

| Program        | Lucille Jones     |
|----------------|-------------------|
| Music          | VIRGINIA BRANCH   |
| Ideals         | RUTH LOWDERMILK   |
| Hospitality    | JULIET COLEMAN    |
| "Y" Room       | CLYDA PARRISH     |
| Social Service | ELIZABETH GRAHAM  |
| Off Campus     | MARY MARTIN       |
| On Campus      | MARGARET LASSITER |
| Poster         | Maisey Patterson  |
| Publication    | VIRGINIA GROVES   |
| Reporter       | IVA CARROLL       |

# FOLLOW THE GLEAM

To the knights in the days of old, Keeping watch on the mountain heights, Come a vision of Holy Grail; And a voice through the waiting night: Follow, follow, follow the gleam, Banners unfurled, o'er all the world, Follow, follow, follow the gleam Of the chalice that is the grail.

And we who would serve the King,
And loyally him obey,
In the consecrate silence know
That the challenge still holds today:
Follow, follow, follow the gleam,
Standards of worth o'er all the earth,
Follow, follow, follow the gleam
Of the light that shall bring the dawn.

#### YOUNG WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Watchword—Daniel 12:3: "They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament, and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and ever."

Colors: Nile Green and White.

# CIRCLE LEADERS

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OUR Y. W. A. AT MEREDITH

The Y. W. A. of Meredith College is just like the Y. W. A. of your home church, except that it works on a larger scale. This organization welcomes you to Meredith College wholeheartedly. She wants you to become a live part of her aims and ideals. Let your relationship to your College Y. W. A. be merely a transitional step from the one you love in your home church.

The Y. W. A. wishes to help Meredith girls to be of greater service not only to the Baptists of North Carolina, who have so nobly made Meredith's past a blessing and are striving to make her future a greater blessing, but also to the people of the world, with the coöperation of

every girl and with God as our Shepherd this will not remain a longing, but will become a reality.

We have found the circle plan very effective since it enables us to reach each girl and enlist them in definite work.

Two Sunday night vesper services a month are given under auspices of the Y. W. A. and each of these meetings have a devotional service and by a definitely planned missionary program.

Baptist girls have an opportunity to continue giving to the special interests of her denomination, such as Orphanage, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and Hospital. A special interest of the Y. W. A. is its participation in contributing to the "Sisterhood Special," a fund given by the College Y. W. A.'s of our Southland to help worthy and capable European girls to study at our own W. M. U. Training School, that they may go back to their own people prepared to give themselves with their Message. Interesting mission study classes are held at a convenient time during the year and each girl is urged to take advantage of this opportunity. take an active part in a Good-Will-Center in one of the nearby mill districts of Raleigh. For the past three years our Meredith Y. W. A. has attained the Standard of Excellence, becoming an A-1 College Y. W. A. For 1926-27 our tasks are big and definite, our aims are high. shall count on each Meredith girl to do her part in making their completion and realization pos-"He shall be our Shepherd and He shall lead us."

The purpose of the B. Y. P. U. is twofold: to minister to and develop the spiritual nature of the girls, and to train them for active service in their home churches. Through the B. Y. P. U. they are trained in devotion, doctrine, Bible study and missions. Thus, they come to a better understanding of denominational work, and go back to their work with added efficiency.

Only a few years ago Meredith had no B. Y. P. U. organization. In '25 there were four Unions, while during the past year the number has increased to eight. We are hoping before the end of the 1927 session to have at least ten wide-awake B. Y. P. U.'s on the campus.

Each Union has its separate meeting every Wednesday night, for 45 minutes, after which all come together for 15 minutes in the chapel for General Assembly. Thus each girl has a chance to grow individually in her own Union, and yet, all are linked together in the general organization. The foremost aim of the organization is to enlist every girl on the campus in active work for Jesus Christ and to strive to maintain the standard of excellence.

The officers for next year are as follows:

### GENERAL OFFICERS

| MARY AYSCUE          | General Director   |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| Annabelle Noel       | Associate Director |
| EVELYN JOLLY         | Secretary          |
| JANIE BURNS          | Pianist            |
| EVELYN RHEA WOOD     | Chorister          |
| MABEL CLAIRE HOGGARD | Pep Leader         |

# PRESIDENTS OF THE DIFFERENT UNIONS

| Pearl Johnson Union   | MARGARET JONES  |
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| Evelyn Campbell Union | GLENNIE MORGAN  |
| Rosa Hocutt Union     | BLANCHE BROOKS  |
| Celia Herring Union   | NANCY WOODS     |
| Perry Morgan Union    | JULIA COOK      |
| Alda Grayson Union    | MARY SPEER      |
| Foy Willingham Union  | MABEL ANDREWS   |

# THE FOREIGN MISSION BAND

The Foreign Mission Band consists of students who have decided definitely to do mission work in foreign fields, and have signed the dedication card of the Student Volunteer Movement, which reads as follows: "It is my purpose, if God permits, to become a foreign missionary." The movement, as the name implies, is limited to students, and to such students as are planning to do foreign mission work.

The Band has one meeting each week, on Friday evening, from 6:45 to 7:45, to discuss current mission news and problems. Occasionally an outside person speaks to the volunteers.

We are looking forward with real joy and hearts full of prayer to the arrival of the class of '30 at Meredith. Our supreme desire is that He, the Great Missionary, shall call many to carry His gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth, and that they shall answer: "Here am I, Lord. send me."

### HOME MISSION BAND

The Home Mission Band is composed of students who are planning to do home mission work of any kind in the future. No pledge is required of the members. The Band holds weekly meetings, at which the members discuss topics and problems pertaining to home mission work. During the year several mission books are read, and practical work in social service is carried on

Last year the Band corresponded with similar organizations in the other colleges of the State, and, with their help and that of Dr. Maddry, who is greatly interested in the project, we hope to be able in the near future to unite all the home mission workers under a State movement corresponding to that of the Foreign Mission Volunteers. We are awaiting the arrival of the new students with eagerness and a prayer that many of them will join with us, and help in the glorious task of bringing Christ into the lives of many of our own people who are yet unsaved.

# WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN THE YOUNG WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

To you who are entering College this fall for the first time, let us say a few words about why you should join the Y. W. C. A.

In the first place, you should begin your College life by identifying yourself with the Christian work of the school, for in this way you are brought under the best influences of the College course.

A girl's character is formed before her College course is ended. In the moulding of your character, do you wish to leave out Christ? Be sure, then, that you join the Y. W. C. A. at the beginning of your course, and thereby seize the opportunity for the development of your spiritual life.

You need spiritual inspiration as well as intellectual inspiration.

You are given a wonderful opportunity for serving Christ by winning for Him the lives of those who have never known Him.

In joining the Y. W. C. A. you are becoming a part of a world-wide student movement, which has for its members the strongest and most earnest students all over the world.

# "HINTS TO THE WISE"

Come early and avoid the rush.

The different religious organizations on our campus are uniting in welcoming you to Meredith. Look out for Meredith B. S. U. badges at the station.

Notify authorities of College if you come on a night train, so that arrangements may be made for some one to meet you.

Listen for the call of the night watchman, if you come on a night train.

Register as soon as possible after you arrive.

After you register go to Information Bureau for any information.

Those wearing the above signified badges will gladly give you any assistance they can during the days of classification.

Writing materials and all such incidentals may be purchased at the "Y" Store.

Ask the former students any time. They are always anxious to help you.

Bring pillow cases, sheets, blankets, dresser and table covers with you. Your material for curtains had best be bought here, so you will have no trouble in fitting your windows. But this is not all. Every college girl wants an attractive room. So bring your sofa cushions, pictures, mottoes, and all those little fixings which add so much to a room. Remember that you will be here for nine months, and you certainly will enjoy life more in a cheerful room.

Somebody is more homesick than you are. Try to forget that you are lonely and do something for that other girl.

The official bulletin board, in the Library building, near Dr. Brewer's office, and the B. S. U. bulletin board, at the entrance of A Dormitory, are very important. Watch them.

Remember to patronize the firms that advertise in our publications. "Turn about is fair play."

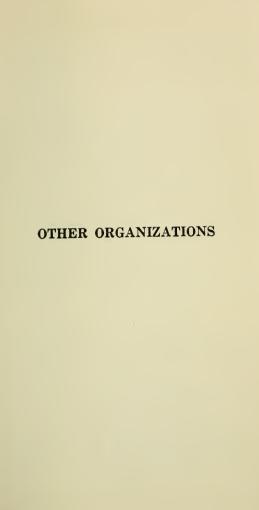
The Library is quiet for study. If you talk, it misses its purpose.

The Y. W. C. A. room is the social room on first floor of B Dormitory. You are always welcome there.

When you want to cook, go to kitchenette on first floor in your dormitory.

### CHURCHES

There are Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Catholic, Christian, and Lutheran churches in Raleigh. Every student is allowed to attend the church for which she has a preference. The first two Sundays after school opens, the students are allowed to visit different churches of their denomination. After that they must fully decide what church they prefer to attend regularly.



### ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

### Officers for 1926-27

| ALBERTA HARRIS  | President      |
|-----------------|----------------|
| LORRAINE SAWYER | Vice-President |
| Lora Dills      | Secretary      |
| Josie Moore     | Treasurer      |

New girls, we welcome you. We need you in all phases of sport life on the campus. Come prepared to help make the physical side of life at Meredith exactly what it should be. At the beginning of the year the members of each class may sign up for the sport they are most interested in—basketball, tennis, baseball, volley ball, hiking, etc., and it is to be expected that they do their best to make their field the most successful on the campus.

### BASKETBALL

Each class has a team and inter-class games are played for the championship. The winning team is awarded a loving cup.

### SCHEDULE

| Juniors | vs. | Freshmen   | .February | 21-26 |
|---------|-----|------------|-----------|-------|
| Seniors | vs. | Sophomores | Marc      | h 1-5 |
| Finals  |     |            | March     | 14-19 |

The five best players in school receive monograms and compose the varsity team.

### TENNIS

The tennis tournaments are played on the same plan as basketball—between classes. Those on the championship team receive monograms.

#### SCHEDULE

| Juniors vs. | Freshmen   | April | 28 |
|-------------|------------|-------|----|
| Seniors vs. | Sophomores | May   | 3  |
| Final       | _          | May   | 10 |

### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

From the middle of October until May Day, regular gymnasium exercises are required of all students, except Seniors, for two hours each week.

Any girl who enjoys hiking is urged to walk for a monogram. Those who walk six hundred miles receive an "M"; five hundred miles an "M. C."

In the coming year, 1926-27, we are hoping that all girls will take a more active interest in athletics than ever before, because in our new site there is ample room for many different sports, and we are hoping to make each rank with the best.

### THE LITERARY SOCIETIES

The two literary societies offer a splendid field for individual activities and development along both literary and social lines.

The purpose of both the Astrotekton and Philaretian societies is to help students to combine academic work in a practical way with their social life, and to cultivate an interest in outside and current affairs. Society work offers excellent opportunity for self-expression and expansion.

Each new girl may join the society of her choice, after having become acquainted with the activities and members of both societies. The keenest competition is in evidence until the date of choosing, which is some time before the first of October.

Both societies are looking forward with pleasure to the coming of the new girls, and extend a cordial welcome and invitation to the class of '30.

### ASTROTEKTON OFFICERS

| GENEVA BENETHALL | President      |
|------------------|----------------|
| SARAH THOMAS     | Vice-President |
| ELLEN BROADWELL  | Secretary      |
| BESS THOMAS      | Treasurer      |

### PHILARETIAN OFFICERS

| EMILY CHEEK        | President      |
|--------------------|----------------|
| LUCILE JONES       | Vice-President |
| FLORENCE STAKES    | Secretary      |
| ANNIE REE McGougan | Treasurer      |

The Twig is the official organ of the student body of Meredith College and is issued weekly. Its purpose is to give expression to the views of the students through the "Open Forum" column, to reflect the happenings which concern the students by means of the editorials, and to keep the alumnae in closer touch with each other and their Alma Mater through the alumni news. The Twig is a member of the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, deriving great benefit from its contact with

other college papers through this medium. The Twig needs the coöperation of the student body and must have it if it is to continue to exist and grow.

### THE TWIG STAFF

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The Acorn is the literary publication of the College, published once a month by the Philaretian and Astrotekton Literary Societies. It is a product of the student body and represents the highest grade of literary ability of the students. Publication of work is not limited to any one department, correct, informative, and attractive English being the chief requirement. The work of any classmen or of any department is appreciated and published if it first reaches the standard expected of a college magazine. The purpose of The Acorn this year will be to make it read, liked, contributed to, and supported more widely and warmly than heretofore by the entire student body. The Acorn wishes to enlarge its vision and its circle of readers, at the same time adhering to a worthy literary standard. The chief means by which it is accomplishing this purpose is through membership in the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, which is doing a fine and active work in promoting the journalistic and literary work of college publications. Each student receives *The Acorn* monthly after payment of the budget fee. It will be mailed to any address upon receipt of the subscription price and address, by the business manager. The members of the editorial staff are as follows:

| Editor              | MARY HERRING     |
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The Oak Leaves is the college annual, published by the Philaretian and Astrotekton Literary Societies. Unlike The Acorn, it is not essentially of a literary nature, but its purpose is to represent every phase of college life, including all the classes, all college and student organizations and clubs, thus aiming to portray our life as it really is. Although each of these phases has its place, the Senior class is correctly accorded the most prominence.

Every girl receives the annual by paying the yearly budget. Anyone else desiring one should make the proper arrangements with the business manager.

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### GLEE CLUB

The Meredith Glee Club was organized in the fall of 1919 and since has become an integral part of College life through its noteworthy success. It is composed of twenty of the best voices in the school. Students from all departments are eligible, as only academic requirements have to be met.

The Glee Club is directed by Dr. Dingley Brown, head of the Department of Music, and under his leadership is making rapid strides toward vocal perfection among themselves and greater musical appreciation among the student body as a whole. Officers are as follows:

| MARGUERITE HARRISON | President        |
|---------------------|------------------|
| MILDRED BROCKWELL   | Business Manager |
| EVELYN RHEA WOOD    | Secretary        |
| VIRGINIA BRANCH     | Treasurer        |
| LORENE WOODY        | Librarian        |

### THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

The International Relations Club meets the need of the students for a more thorough study and discussion of international problems and relations of the present day. Any students who are taking elective courses in history are eligible for membership. The club meets once a month and has as its adviser Professor Riley, head of the History Department.

The officers for the year 1926-27 are:

### CLASSICAL CLUB

The Classical Club was organized in September, 1921, to fill a long-felt need among the students especially interested in Latin and Greek. Its purpose is to supplement the work of the classroom, adding things of vital interest to those pursuing a classical education. In addition, it affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

Students taking advanced work in Latin and those electing Greek are eligible for membership in the club. Other students, upon a recommendation from teachers in the department, may be invited to become members also.

| ELIZABETH LARKINS  | President      |
|--------------------|----------------|
| NANCY WOODS        | Vice-President |
| HORTENSE HONEYCUTT | Secretary      |
| JULIA COOKE        | Treasurer      |

### THE "MATH" CLUB

Often you hear some student say, "Are you majoring in math?" To an affirmative answer there comes, "Well, you are the craziest person I ever saw." If this is true, this is a club of crazy students who meet together the first Monday of each month to study and discuss the problems and history of mathematics with the goal of arousing a greater interest in the higher courses in this subject. Those students who have finished Math I are eligible for membership, and, too, those who are taking Math I who are especially interested may become associate members.

(Officers to be elected.)

### THE COLTON ENGLISH CLUB

The Colton English Club was organized in the fall of 1922. The object of this club, as stated in the Constitution, is to stimulate and cultivate interest in good written and spoken English and in the reading of good literature.

Membership is restricted to those electing English courses. Eligible students must apply for membership and their application must be voted on by the club. During the year 1925-26 joint meetings with the N. C. State College Club were held monthly. By means of this coöperative plan speakers of note were secured and great pleasure and benefit derived.

| $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{U}\mathbf{B}\mathbf{Y}}$ | Davis | President      |
|---|-------|----------------|
| RUTH  | BEST  | Vice-President |

(Other officers to be elected at the beginning of the year.)

### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club is composed of those who are especially interested in Home Economics. All students who have taken or who are taking work in the Home Economics Department of the College are eligible for membership.

The object of this club is to stimulate interest in the study of Home Economics. It affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

| MARGARET LASSITER | President           |
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1927-1928



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### Alma Mater

We salute thee, Alma Mater, we salute thee with a song;

At thy feet our loyal hearts their tribute lay; We had waited for thy coming, in the darkness waited long.

Ere the morning star proclaimed thy natal day.

Thou hast come through tribulation, and thy robe is clean and white!

Thou art fairer than the summer in its bloom.

Thou art born unto a kingdom, and thy crown is all of light:

Thou shalt smile away the shadow and the gloom.

In thy path the fields shall blossom and the desert shall rejoice.

In the wilderness a living fountain spring:

For the blind shall see thy beauty, and the deaf shall hear thy voice,

And the silent tongues their high hosannas sing.

Where the rhododendron blushes on the burly mountain's breast,

In the midland where the wild deer love to roam.

Where the water-lily slumbers while the cypress guards its rest,

Lo! thy sunny land of promise and thy home.

Where the sons of Carolina taught a Nation to be free,

And her daughters taught their brothers to be brave:

O'er a land of peaceful plenty, from the highlands to the sea,

May thy banner, Alma Mater, ever wave!

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|                      | P.M.  |
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| Room bell            | 10:20 |
| Light hell           | 10:30 |

### Social Calendar

### FALL:

For new girls especially—

S. G. and B. S. U. reception.

"Y" room entertainments.

Society reception and entertainments.

Wake Forest Founders' Day.

Stunt night.

Interclass basketball games.

Society Day.

Y. W. C. A. Christmas Party.

### SPRING:

Founders' Day.

Student Government Association Reception.

Wake Forest Anniversary.

Y. W. C. A. Reception.

Class Entertainments.

Tennis Tournaments.

Masquerade Party.

May Festival.

You are cordially invited to attend the

Informal Reception Given to New Students by the

Student Gobernment and Baptist Student Union

at

eight o'clock p.m. Saturday, September tenth

### Statement From the Trustees For the Hand Book

The Board of Trustees approves the adoption and operation by the Faculty and the Student Body of what is commonly known as Student Government; subject, however, to the following limitations:

- 1. The following matters are reserved from Student control, and as to these the Faculty and the officers of the College shall have control:
  - a. All academic matters.
  - All matters affecting the health of the students.
  - c. Chapel exercises.
  - d. Organization of clubs and societies.
  - e. Control of College property.
- 2. To the President, to the Dean, and to the Dean of Women, with their respective committees, is reserved the right to handle special cases of discipline which in their judgment can best be handled in this way; subject to the rights of the Trustees to review the same, if the Trustees so desire.
- 3. The Trustees reserve all powers and authority not hereinbefore specifically granted to others and reserve the right to modify or repeal this grant of authority at any time in their discretion.



### STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

### Officers

| KATHARINE MADDRY | President      |
|------------------|----------------|
| CHARLOTTE CURTIS | Vice-President |
| MARY BURNS       | Secretary      |

### **House Presidents**

Dormitory A—
PAULINE FREEMAN, President.
MIRIAM DAUGHTRY, Vice-President.

Dormitory B—
LENA TUTTLE, President.
THELMA MARTIN, Vice-President.

Dormitory C— Elizabeth Brewer, President.

Dormitory D—
WINONA HOOPER, President.

Cheer Leader-Mary Rodwell Hunter

### Student Government Department

Student Government means all the Meredith girls, with a real Meredith sense of honor, working together to make Meredith the best college possible.

The Honor System is the basis of our policy. This means that in its application to the conduct of its members each girl is to be trusted to observe all the laws of the Student Government Association. These laws are made by the students themselves, and approved by the Faculty. As long as a student is a member of the Association it is expected that she feel not only a personal responsibility in abiding by its laws, but a responsibility to the community, seeing to it that her fellow-students live up to the same standard of honor.

It is only through the spirit of coöperation that any system of self-government can rise to an ideal plane of efficiency.

The spirit of the Student Association is the real college spirit, and a loyal student spirit means not only a coöperating student organization, but clean athletics, religious organizations, and working literary societies. The success of any organization in college depends on the attitude of the girls toward the Student Government Association. We must work together for the common good of all before we can work in groups in smaller organizations. The Student Government encourages loyalty to all organizations, promptness in all duties, and a spirit of love and friendship among the girls.

### Constitution

### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

This Association shall be called the STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MEREDITH COLLEGE.

### ARTICLE II

#### OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be the government of the student body.

### ARTICLE III

### MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. All resident students, upon registration at Meredith, shall automatically become members of the Student Government Association. Nonresident students are under immediate jurisdiction of the association, except in matters which are naturally under the control of their parents or guardians.

- SEC. 2. Since each student in coming to Meredith accepts college citizenship involving self-government under the Honor System, she assumes the following obligations:
- 1. To inform herself as to the academic and non-academic responsibilities which are matters of college honor.
- 2. To conform her own conduct to the Meredith standards of honor and to fulfill her com-

munity duty by coöperating in holding others to those standards, as follows:

- a. By reporting herself for breach of conduct,
  - (1) In non-academic matters
    - (a) In dormitory-to House President.
    - (b) In all other cases—to President of Student Government.
  - (2) In academic matters to
    - (a) Instructor, or
    - (b) President of Student Government.
- b. By asking offenders to report themselves.
- c. By putting the matter before the proper authorities if the offender refuses to report herself.

Sec. 3. Each freshman vote will count as one-half.

### ARTICLE IV

### OFFICERS-THEIR ELECTION AND DUTY

- Section 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer.
- SEC. 2. (a) The President shall be chosen from the incoming Senior class.
- (b) The officers and House Presidents shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting held the second Monday in March, except the President, who shall be elected ten days previous to the above date, followed by the nomination and election of the B. S. U., Athletic, and Society presidents and the Editors-in-Chief of the Student publications, in the order above mentioned. These major officers of the college organizations shall have been elected and the nominations for minor Student Government officers posted three days before the second Monday in March.

- (c) The officers shall enter upon their duties at the beginning of the fall term,
- SEC. 3. (a) It shall be the duty of the President to preside over all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to appoint any call meetings she may consider necessary, and to appoint all committees not otherwise provided for in these articles.
- (b) The duties of the Vice-President shall be the same as those of the President, should the President at any time be unable to perform her duties
- (c) It shall be the duty of the Secretary to record the proceedings of all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to post all official notices, to submit to the Dean the list of members, officers, committees, and other bodies appointed by the Association.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a strict and permanent account of all receipts and expenditures, to collect fines, to present a report at the annual meetings of the Association, and to perform other duties that may devolve upon her as Treasurer of the Association

### ARTICLE V

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

- SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers of the Association, House Presidents, Vice-House Presidents (provided the total number of the whole committee does not exceed fourteen), and one representative from each of the two lower classes.
- SEC. 2. (a) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to meet every week, to enforce

the rules of the Association, and to consider business of that body.

- (b) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to divide the corridors into districts, and to determine the tenure of office of the proctors.
- (c) The Executive Committee may, at its discretion, summon before it and reprimand any member or members of the Association. The committee shall have the right to withdraw privileges from and to impose penalties upon any member or members of the Association. These, however, shall be reported to the Advisory Committee before being put into effect. The penalties of demerits, suspension and expulsion shall be subject to the approval of the faculty or a committee representing the faculty.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to consider proposed regulations and to refer such as are adopted to the student body to be voted upon. The regulation, if passed by the student body, will go before the faculty for approval or disapproval.
- Sec. 3. (a) The Advisory Committee shall consist of the Dean of Women and two other members of the Faculty elected annually by the Student Executive Committee.
- (b) The duties of the Advisory Committee shall be to receive reports from the Executive Committee and to confer with that committee whenever occasion may demand.

### ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

- SECTION 1. (a) A meeting shall be held as soon as possible after the beginning of the college year, at which time the Constitution, By-Laws, and Regulations shall be read and explained.
- (b) A meeting shall be held the second Monday in March for the election of officers.
- (c) A meeting of the Association shall be called once each month for reports from the Executive Committee and discussion by the members.
- SEC. 2. Meetings of the Association may be called at any time by the President on her own motion, and must be called by her on the written request of ten members. The object of these special meetings shall be stated in writing when the request is made.
- SEC. 3. There shall be a special course of Freshman training in Student Government for the new girls during the first few weeks in the fall. Attendance upon these meetings is compulsory. An examination will be given at the end of the course.

### ARTICLE VII

### JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

The judicial power of the Association shall be vested in—

- 1. The Executive Committee, which shall constitute the higher court.
- 2. The House Committee, which shall form a House Council, whose duties shall be to enforce house rules and deal with infractions of the same.

### ARTICLE VIII

### QUORUM

- SECTION 1. (a) One-third of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business.
- (b) Two-thirds of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the annual meeting in March, for any meeting in which an amendment or change in the Constitution is voted on, and when the Association is acting in its judicial capacity.

### ARTICLE IX

### AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1. An amendment may be proposed by the Faculty, by the Student Executive Committee, or by any fifteen members of the Association. The proposed amendment shall be posted at least one week before it is presented to the Association, and shall be approved by the Faculty of the College before its adoption.

### By-Laws

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The rules contained in Roberts' Rules of Order shall govern the Association in all business meetings.

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- (a) The annual dues of the Association shall be one dollar and fifty cents.
- (b) A fine of fifty cents shall be imposed upon any member of the Association who is absent from a meeting without an excuse acceptable to the Executive Committee.

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- (a) Nominations for officers shall be posted at least three days before election.
- (b) A plurality of votes cast shall elect all officers of the Association.

### IV

- (a) Each college dormitory shall be divided into districts, each of which shall have a proctor. There shall be a House President for each house and a Vice House President.
- (b) The House President, together with the proctors of the house, shall form a House Council, whose duties shall be to enforce all rules of the Association pertaining to the government of the house.
- (c) Every student within three weeks after the opening of the fall semester shall sign the following statement: "I have read the Consti-

tution, By-Laws, and Regulations of the Student Government Association. I realize that I am on my honor to keep and enforce the rules of the Association, and I pledge myself to observe the same and to try to be a consistent member."

- (d) There shall be regular meetings of the House Council every two weeks.
  - (e) Proctors will not give permissions.
- (f) The Vice House President shall act in the absence of the House President and assist her as occasion demands.

### V

In addition to the Student Government Executive Committee there shall be a College Council, composed of both the Faculty and Student Executive Committees. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman. The Council shall meet on Tuesday afternoon before the first Wednesday in each month.

The duties of this Council shall be:

- 1. To officially represent the student body.
- 2. To study the problems of the college community and to suggest solutions for the same.
- 3. To consider the constitution of all organizations arising in the student body, and to pass upon those whose purpose shall be of benefit to the student body; and to classify them according to their importance and relation to other college activities.

#### VI

There shall also be a Nominating Committee, composed of the Presidents of the major student organizations, the editors-in-chief of the student publications, the class presidents, the Dean of

Women, and three Faculty members, chosen by the student members of the nominating committee. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman of this committee.

The duties of this committee shall be:

- 1. To act as Nominating Committee.
- 2. To see that the point system is enforced.

# Student Regulations

The following regulations have been adopted to govern college life at Meredith because they embody recognized social obligations and standards and express the will of the majority as to rules under which they can best live together. Each member of the Student Government Association is therefore bound to uphold them as long as they stand. It is understood that the maintenance of these regulations is a matter of personal honor.

Students are under the college regulations from the time they reach Raleigh until they take the train to leave Raleigh, or until they have received permission from the Dean of Women to visit in the city at Christmas vacation or at the close of the session.

If any girl so conducts herself as to bring discredit upon Meredith, she may be dealt with by the Executive Committee, although there be no existing rule to cover the exact circumstances of the case.

# 1 Rells— I. HOUSE RULES

- (a) The rising bell will ring at 7:00 a.m., the light bell at 10:30 p.m., and the house will be quiet until rising bell.
- (b) Visiting bell will ring at 10:00 p.m.; room bell at 10:20 p.m.

# 2. Quiet-

(a) Quiet must be observed during Silent Hour (2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.) on Sunday afternoons, and during the Study Hours of the morning and evening.

- (b) Under no circumstances will visiting during the Sunday Silent Hour be allowed unless permission has been obtained from the House President before 2:00 p.m.
- (c) Pianos, victrolas, and other musical instruments may not be used on Sunday morning or during Silent Hour.
- (d) Victrolas may be played during the week between the hours of 2:30 and 7:15, and between 10:00 and 10:20 p.m.
- (e) Students may not be absent from their rooms during Study Hour except for studying in the library, classrooms, or social rooms, without permission from the House President.
- (f) With permission of the House President, girls may spend the night with friends in the same or other buildings. This applies to week nights. On Saturday and Sunday nights they register with the House President.

# II. GUESTS

- 1. Students may entertain lady callers in their rooms except during the Study Hours of morning, afternoon, and evening or Silent Hour, provided such callers have registered in the guest book.
- 2. Men may not enter the dormitory without special permission from the Dean of Women.
- 3. Students may see out-of-town guests for fifteen minutes. In this case, college students (Wake Forest, Duke, Carolina) are not considered out-of-town guests. Underclassmen may not receive callers during Study Hour.
- 4. Students may not entertain their friends overnight at the College without permission from the Dean of Women.

- 5. Guests may be entertained in the dormitory over the week-end only on the following conditions:
- (a) That permission has been secured, in advance, from the office of the Dean of Women.
- (b) That no more students sleep in the room than there are single beds in the room.
- (c) That they are informed of all house rules and are willing to comply with all.

Note-Week-ends mean Saturday and Sunday.

## III. TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAMS

The pay-station telephone may not be used during Study Hour.

#### IV. REGISTRATION

- 1. Students will not leave the College grounds without registering except for walking nearby.
  - 2. In registering please observe the following: Write your name legibly and neatly.

State the name of your chaperon.

State when you will leave.

State the exact place you are going (giving full address), and expected time of return.

Immediately upon your return sign the exact time of reaching the College.

Students may not register for each other.

- 3. Students will register in office of the Dean of Women for callers. This must be done before dinner of the evening upon which the call is made.
- 4. When shopping, calling, riding, etc., in the afternoon, students must register back on the campus at 6 o'clock.

#### V. CHAPEL AND CHURCH

1. Chapel attendance is required of all students, unless excused in advance at the office of Dean of Women. Students must be in their places when the organist begins playing, after which time talking is forbidden.

No books will be taken into chapel.

- 2. Students may choose any church as a church home within the first three weeks after school opens, and register the same on their schedule cards and in the Sunday School and church roll books.
- 3. Students must mark themselves present each Sunday in the Sunday School roll book. When away from the College or in the Infirmary absences will be checked and excused in the office of the Dean of Women.

Each girl is permitted to be absent from Sunday School and church five Sundays out of the year without excuse.

- 4. Students are allowed to attend other churches than their home church five Sundays out of the year. When visiting please state the name of the church.
- 5. Students must attend church where they attend Sunday School, except on the Sundays they visit other churches, in which case they may go directly from Sunday School to the church visited in groups of two or three.
- 6. Students may attend church at night with an approved upperclassman as chaperon.
- 7. Reports of absence and visiting other churches will be sent weekly to the office of the Dean of Women.
- 8. Students may not walk or sit on the campus during vesper services.

## VI. DELINQUENCIES

A student persistently absent will be called to explain to the Faculty and may be required to withdraw from College.

For excused absence from chapel, no penalty. For unexcused absences from chapel, a student shall be campused one week for the fifth and one week for each additional two unexcused absences during any semester.

For excused absence from gymnasium, no penalty.

For unexcused absences from gymnasium, the student shall be campused one week for the third and one week for each additional unexcused absence from gymnasium during any semester.

For excused absence from class, a student shall receive a reduction of one honor point for the ninth and a reduction of one honor point for each three additional excused absence.

For unexcused absence from class, a student shall receive a reduction of one honor point for each unexcused absence.

Upon recommendation of the Dean of Women the Faculty may suspend these rules in case of a prolonged absence.

Students will be notified by the Dean of Women when an absence is reported which is not accounted for by the College Physician.

## VII. SOCIAL

- 1. Students may dine with friends in town any three evenings during a semester, with a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women, provided they are back by Study Hour.
- 2. All invitations in the city must be sent by the hostess to the office of the Dean of Women.

- 3. Any overnight absence from the College (whether on a holiday or a week-end), unless spent in Raleigh with members of the immediate family, will count as one of the four semester week-ends allowed.
- 4. Students may spend Sundays in town and let them count as week-ends, provided they leave the campus before Silent Hour begins—to return by 10:15 p.m. the same day.
- 5. When visiting in the city, students may appear on the streets or in public gatherings with young men, if chaperons have been approved by the Dean of Women. The hostess is considered an approved chaperon. This does not apply to resident students whose homes are in Raleigh.
- 6. With permission of the Dean of Women, students may go driving any one afternoon during the week, except Sunday, provided a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women has been secured.
- 7. Students when attending social functions in the evening must be in by 10:20 p.m.
- 8. When visiting, students may leave the College Saturday when work is finished, but they must be back at the College for their first appointment.
- 9. Students may attend ball games any one afternoon in the week, with an official chaperon, or on Saturday night with faculty chaperon.

#### VIII. OTHER REGULATIONS

- 1. Students do not carry on conversation with young men beyond simple greetings on the campus, at the libraries, in stores or on the street.
  - 2. A committee, appointed by the President

of the College, will censor all public performances and all printed matter.

- 3. Students do not visit restaurants, hotels, hospitals, railroad stations, or places of amusement without permission and a chaperon.
- 4. Hazing is absolutely forbidden. Any interference by one class with another class, or by members of one class with the members of another class, is included in the term hazing.
- 5. The punishment for cheating on examination, or elsewhere, will be expulsion, withdrawal of credits, or demerits, or a combination of the last two, at the discretion of Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.
- 6. Dancing and card-playing will not be permitted. As cards may not be used for any purpose whatsoever at Meredith College, you are asked not to have them in your possession. In regard to these there is a difference of opinion, but all will agree that it is safe to replace them by other recreations.
- 7. Sororities of whatever name or kind, whether regular or irregular, affiliating or unaffiliating with similar organizations elsewhere, are absolutely prohibited. The punishment for this offense will be expulsion, demerits, or suspension, or a combination of any of these at the discretion of the Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.
- 8. Students may not return to Raleigh on trains or cars arriving after 10:00 p.m., unless they have arranged for this in advance at the office of the Dean of Women.
- 9. Alumnæ are asked to register in the office of the Dean of Women when visiting the College. Calling hours and all house rules must be observed.

- 10. Among the offenses for which call-downs are administered are the following:
- (a) Failure to return to campus within prescribed time.
  - (b) Irregularity in registering.
- (c) Failure to say good night to callers within five minutes after bell rings.
  - (d) Misconduct in Chapel.
  - (e) Marks for untidy room.
  - (f) Violation of House Rules.
  - (g) Violation of library rules.
  - (h) Violation of dining-room regulations.

## FRESHMEN PRIVILEGES

- 1. May shop in groups of two or more any one afternoon, except Saturday. On shopping days may attend movies with approved chaperon.
- 2. During the first four weeks in the fall Freshmen must be accompanied by old students when walking off campus or shopping.
- 3. May have callers one afternoon each week from 3:00 to 5:30 o'clock, and the first Saturday night of each month from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock.
- 4. May have two extra evenings a semester for callers or for attending movies. Must be accompanied by a chaperon when attending evening movies.
- 5. With permission from home, may spend two week-ends away from the College a semester. This permission must be sent direct to the office of the Dean of Women, and must state to whom the visit is to be made.
- 6. May go calling twice a month with permission, but may not have dates while calling.
- 7. May attend church at night with permission and an upperclassman as chaperon.

## SOPHOMORE PRIVILEGES

- 1. The class may have one evening off during the session, provided no member of the class is guilty of hazing in any manner whatever.
- 2. May have callers any two afternoons a week from 3:00 to 5:30 o'clock, and the second Saturday evening of each month from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock. May have two extra evenings a semester for callers or for attending movies.
- 3. May shop in groups of two any two afternoons.
- 4. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women three times a month. May not have dates while calling.
- 5. May attend the movies one afternoon a week, with an approved chaperon, provided they go on the shopping day.
- 6. With permission from home, may spend four week-ends a semester away from the College. This permission must be sent direct to the office of the Dean of Women, and must state to whom the visit is to be made.

## JUNIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. Juniors, approved by the Dean of Women, may chaperon wherever student chaperonage is permissible.
- 2. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women once a week. May not have dates while calling.
- 3. Members of the class may go to the dentist or oculist in groups of two, provided the permission of the nurse has been secured.
- 4. May attend church Sunday night in groups of three without a chaperon.

- 5. May have callers any two afternoons or evenings a week and the third Saturday evening of each month.
- 6. May shop in groups of two any three afternoons.
- 7. Juniors are granted four evenings a semester for social engagements.
- 8. May go to ball games at the city auditorium in the afternoon, picture shows and matinees, in groups of three.
- 9. May spend two Sundays in town a semester. May ride in afternoon, provided permission from home has been secured.
- 10. With permission from home, may spend four week-ends a semester away from the College. This permission must be sent direct to the office of the Dean of Women, and must state to whom the visit is to be made.

## SENIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. May walk and shop alone any time of the day until 6:00 p.m.
- 2. May register and make calls in town once a week. May not have dates when calling.
- 3. May have callers any three afternoons or evenings a week. The fourth Saturday evening of each month is reserved for Seniors. For special occasions, with permission of the Dean of Women, Seniors may spend the afternoon or evening away from the College, substituting this for a date night.
- 4. With permission from home, Seniors may spend four week-ends away from the College. This permission must be sent direct to the Dean of Women, and must state to whom visit is to be made.

- 5. May go to ball games, matiness and pictures in groups of two in the afternoon without a chaperon.
- 6. May occasionally spend a Sunday in town, not to exceed three Sundays each semester. May ride in afternoons with hostess, provided permission has been secured.
- 7. May attend church Sunday nights in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 8. May go once a week to ball games at the city auditorium and picture shows at night in groups of three, unchaperoned, provided this be substituted for a date night.
- 9. May be excused from registering for Sunday School and church.
- 10. May dine in town once a month, provided this is substituted for a date night.
- 11. May have light permission for the last six weeks.
- 12. Seniors may be granted extra privileges at the discretion of the Dean of Women during the last six weeks.
- 13. Six Seniors, approved by the Executive Committee of the Faculty, may act in the capacity of official chaperons at the discretion of the Dean of Women.

## HEALTH REGULATIONS

- 1. Permission to keep lights on after 10:30 by regular students, and after 11:00 p.m. by Student Government officers, is granted only by the College Physician or, in her absence, from the office of the Dean of Women.
- 2. Permission to practice, etc., before 6:45 a.m. granted in the same way.

- 3. Appointments with doctors, other than College Physician, must be made by the nurse.
- 4. Students being in the Infirmary or excused from work on account of sickness during the forenoon may not exercise social privileges during the afternoon or evening.
- 5. No food may be served by students to any girl who is sick.

## HOUSEHOLD REGULATIONS

- 1. Bed-rooms and bath-rooms must be in order by 9:30 a.m.
  - 2. No trash may be swept into the corridors.
- 3. Furniture must not be removed from any room without the Matron's permission.
- 4. No student may, without permission from the Housekeeper, have colored women come to the room or to the dormitory corridors.

NOTE-Miss White's office hours are 8:30 to 9:00 a.m., and 1:30 to 2:00 p.m.

## DINING-ROOM REGULATIONS

- 1. The dining-room doors shall be closed ten minutes after the bell rings. Students may not enter after doors are closed without permission of dietitian or Dean of Women.
- 2. No food, except fruit, cookies or candies, may be taken from the dining-room.
- 3. No dishes, silver, or other dining-room equipment may be taken from the dining-room, without the permission of the dietitian.
- 4. No student is expected to leave the diningroom in the evening until the whole table is excused. If necessary to be excused, ask the hostess and explain to her, then or later, the necessity for your request.

NOTE-Miss Welch will observe office hours for fifteen minutes after each meal.

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students who are excused from physical education classes on account of physical disability, shall be debarred from taking part in any athletics.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

#### COLLEGE CALENDAR

In order to avoid confusion in the College Calendar, dates for all entertainments or organization meetings, which are likely to cause conflict, must be arranged with the Dean of Women, whether the original permission for the entertainments or meetings was granted by her or not. Presidents of clubs and all student organizations should register dates of regular and special meetings as far in advance as possible.

#### Budger

| S. G. (including Twig)    | 3.60 |
|---------------------------|------|
| B. S. U                   | 2.20 |
| Athletic Association      | .40  |
| Society (including Acorn) | 4.30 |
| Annual                    | 4.25 |
|                           |      |

\$14.75

This budget must be paid on the second Monday in October. Each student is required to pay it.

# ORDER OF CLASSIFICATION AND ACA-DEMIC REGULATIONS NOT PRINTED IN THE CATALOGUE

- 1. Go to the President's office and register.
- 2. Then go to the Bursar's office and pay your matriculation fee of twenty-five dollars, which is necessary before you can be classified.

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- 3. In return for this the Bursar will give you a receipt, which you must carry with you to the Dean's office, where you will be classified.
- 4. Unexcused absence will entail lowering of grade. Students will arrange with their instructors about making up work missed.
- 5. Students will receive zeros for cutting the last recitation in subjects before a holiday, and the first day after a holiday.
- 6. Students may not miss class work or private lessons, or change them from one day to another, to make visits.
- 7. A student may not drop a subject or change her course without written permission from the Dean.
- 8. Students are required to take examinations in all subjects pursued during a semester.
- 9. Students may not take part in plays or other entertainments without the permission of the Dean. Ordinarily, permission will not be given to those who are not making grade, or who have more than sixteen hours of work per week.
- 10. A first-year student must pass three semester hours, a second-year student six semester hours, a third or fourth year student nine semester hours during any given semester to be eligible for admission the next semester.
- 11. A first-year student must pass eighteen semester hours, all other students twenty-one semester hours, during the year in order to be eligible for admission the next year.
- 12. Permission to practice plays or hold meetings of any nature, during study hour, is granted only by the Dean of Women.

- 13. Students whose names appear on the delinquent list will be deprived of social privileges at the discretion of the instructors concerned and the Dean of Women.
- 14. For out-staying their leave, without proper excuse, or for any other irregularity in connection with week-end visits, students will be deprived of future week-end privileges, at the discretion of the Dean of Women. If it is the last week-end, the case will be acted upon by the Faculty.
- 15. An absence from any College duty just preceding or following a holiday will mean more than an unexcused absence and will be acted upon by the Feculty.

#### REGULATIONS FOR TUTORING

- 1. Students may tutor only with tutors who have been approved by the Dean and the head of the department.
- 2. The number of hours which a tutor may have will be determined by the Dean. (Ordinarily, three hours of tutoring will count as one academic hour.)
- 3. Absences from tutoring lessons and unprepared will be reported and counted as if from regular class.
- 4. The price for tutoring lessons will be, under ordinary circumstances, thirty-five cents an hour for individual work. If there are more than one in a course the Dean and the tutor will determine the price.

#### MUSIC PRACTICE

1. Under all circumstances proctors will mark a student absent if she does not practice during the time assigned her.

- 2. Under no circumstances do proctors excuse students; therefore, do not make such requests of them. Make these requests of the Head Proctor.
- 3. Under all ordinary conditions students will practice at their regular time. If any one wishes to substitute some other hour, the permission of the Head Proctor must be obtained before the change is made; otherwise, the absence will not be excused. Practice may not begin before 6:45 a.m.
- 4. When students are given the privileges of making up practice, it must be made up and so reported within three days from the time it was missed. Otherwise it will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 5. All students taking as much as two hours of practice are required to attend the student recitals on Thursday afternoons; any other music student not having the equivalent of fifteen hours of work a week will be required to attend. An unexcused absence from recital will count as an absence from regular practice.
- 6. Every absence or tardiness should be explained to the Head Proctor at once. Unless so explained, after three days such delinquency will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 7. Three unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing from one to two hours a day.

Four unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing three or more hours a day.

In all cases two tardies count as one absence; leaving practice rooms without permission for visiting or other purposes will count as a tardy.

## LIBRARY REGULATIONS

During the College year the Library is open daily, except Sundays, from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., and 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Students may borrow general books for two weeks, or for a shorter period, determined by the demand for the book. At the expiration of two weeks books may be renewed for one week, provided that they are not needed by other persons. Books of fiction may be taken out for one week, and renewed for three days. Any book may be recalled by the librarian when needed in the Library.

Books must not be taken from the Library until they have been charged at the desk. All books taken out of the Library must be returned to one of the Library assistants or left on the desk.

A fine of two cents per day will be charged for each day that a general book is kept out overtime.

Reserved books are books that are kept in the Library for the use of special classes. On account of their special use reserved books may be taken out only when the Library is closed, and must be returned promptly when the Library opens.

A fine of ten cents an hour or fraction thereof will be charged for each hour a reserved book is kept out overtime. Fines not paid within a week from the date the fine list is posted will be increased ten per cent for each week the fine remains unpaid.

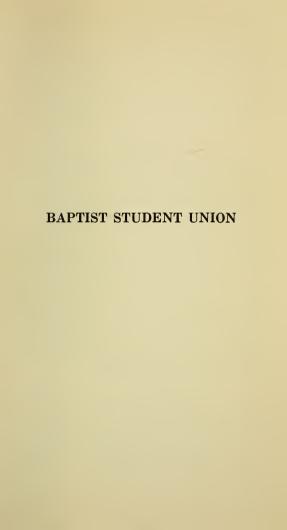
Students are not to go to the reserve shelves, but must call at the desk for books wanted. If you know that a book is reserved, you should call for it by the author and title of the book and name the course in which it is assigned, for example, Edman's Human Traits, Sociology. Only one reserve book may be taken to use in the room at one time, because we have so few books. Do not keep a reserve book after you finish using it. Someone may be waiting for it.

Two taps of the bell indicate that all reserve books are to be returned to the desk at once. Three taps of the bell, that students are to leave the Library. The bell is tapped three times five minutes before the end of the period preceding chapel; twice at fifteen minutes before closing time, and three times five minutes before closing time. This is done in order to get the desk cleared before chapel, and to get reserved books ready to go out at closing time.

Students found with missing Library books in their possession will be subject to a penalty of two demerits for the first offense, and five demerits if the offense is repeated.

Students mutilating Library books, magazines, or papers, will be penalized by the Faculty on recommendation of the Library Committee.

Students creating disorder or disturbance in the Library will be subject to call downs for each offense.



#### MOTTO

"Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."—Philippians 4:8.

#### GREETING

As members of the Southern Baptist Student Union we heartily welcome you to Meredith. May you find here Christian friendship, opportunities for service, and a deeper knowledge of Jesus Christ.

The B. S. U. is a correlation of the religious activities of the college students and the federation of all the unit religious organizations. The membership of the unit organizations—Y.W.A., Y.W.C.A., B.Y.P.U., Sunday School, and Volunteer Bands—constitutes the membership of the Baptist Student Union. In this manner, the B.S.U. offers a wide field of interests and activities, and we hope that each new student will take advantage of all the opportunities for Christian service and training.

# B.S.U. SLOGANS

Every student a Christian.

Every student enlisted in Sunday School.

Every Baptist an A-1 member of a B.Y.P.U.

Every Baptist an A-1 member of the Y.W.A.

Every volunteer for Christian vocations in training.

# Officers of Baptist Student Union

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| Home Service                               |  |  |  |  |
| President LENA TUTTLE                      |  |  |  |  |
| Vice-PresidentLOTTIE MITCHEM               |  |  |  |  |

# **Baptist Student Union Constitution**

#### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of the general religious activity of Meredith College shall be Southern Baptist Student Union.

# ARTICLE II

#### MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall include the unit religious organizations on the campus.

#### ARTICLE III

#### OBJECT

The object of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be as follows:

First. To strengthen, correlate and unify all of the separate unit religious organizations (Y. W. A., Y. W. C. A., B. Y. P. U., Volunteer Bands, Sunday School Department) into one campus organization with one all-inclusive program of religious activity.

Second. To advocate and advance in every wise way the several objects of the various unit religious organizations.

Third. To enlist vitally, in and through the separate unit organizations, every student and community member of the institution in that religious activity or activities which she needs for her highest Christian development and spiritual growth.

Fourth. To direct all religious activities on the campus.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### OFFICERS

There shall be the following officers: President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer.

#### ARTICLE V

#### EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

There shall be an Executive Council of the Southern Baptist Student Union, which shall consist of the officers of the Southern Baptist Student Union and one member representing each unit organization having membership in the Southern Baptist Student Union.

There shall be a Baptist representative of the Faculty.

The Southern Baptist Student Union may, at will, elect new members to the Executive Council, or discontinue those that may become unnecessary.

The President of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be chairman of the Executive Council.

## ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

SECTION 1. The Executive Council shall meet twice each month, on Monday, at 9:30 p.m.

SEC. 2. The Southern Baptist Student Union, as such, shall meet as often as is necessary to maintain a proper *esprit de corps*.

## ARTICLE VII

#### COMMITTEES

SECTION 1. Executive. The Executive Council of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be the Executive Committee.

- SEC. 2. Statistical. The Recording Secretary shall be chairman of the Statistical Committee, whose duty it shall be to secure weekly reports of the members of the Executive Council as to the membership in and attendance upon the various unit organizations. These reports shall be diligently recorded, posted, and published.
- Sec. 3. Special. Other permanent or special committees may be appointed at the will of the President of the Southern Baptist Student Union.
- SEC. 4. Ex Officio. The President of the Southern Baptist Student Union and the President of the College shall be ex officio members of all committees.

# ARTICLE VIII

#### BUDGET

A budget shall be made each year of the necessary expenses of the Southern Baptist Student Union. Each unit shall share proportionately in this budget.

## ARTICLE IX

## RECOGNITION

The President, the Faculty, and the Board of Trustees shall be urged to vest in this Southern Baptist Student Union that prestige and power which shall make it the governing factor, subject at all times to the higher school authorities, of the religious life and activities of the students of the campus.

The institution shall be asked to support and sanction the entire Southern Baptist Student Union.

# By-Laws

## ARTICLE I

#### ELECTIONS

The officers of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be elected annually, as near as possible, sixty days before the spring commencement of the institution.

New officers shall assume their responsibilities six weeks before the spring commencement.

#### ARTICLE II

#### OFFICERS' DUTIES

The duties of the officers and the members of the Executive Council shall be those commonly assigned to similar officers in like organizations, or as is otherwise designated.

# ARTICLE III

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

It shall be the special duty of the Executive Council to review the entire organized religious activity and program of the institution; to prevent over-organization and unnecessary overlapping of activities; to contemplate the religious and spiritual needs and developments of every student in the institution; to agree upon all religious activities of the institution before presentation to the student body; to correlate and propagate all religious activities of the institution.

## ARTICLE IV

#### AMENDMENTS

The Constitution and By-Laws may be changed at any meeting of the Southern Baptist Student Union, provided the Executive Council approves the change and that two weeks notice has been given, and three-fourths of a determined quorum vote for such changes.

#### Y.W.C.A.

The Y. W. C. A. is an important unit in the religious life at Meredith. It is affiliated with the National Board of Young Women's Christian Associations and tries to keep in touch with the various organizations of its kind throughout the South. The national objective, which is the ideal of our Y.W.C.A. at Meredith, is: "We unite in the determination to live unreservedly Jesus' law of love in every relationship, and so to know God."

The purpose of our Y.W.C.A. for 1927-28 is to unite the student body, consisting of several denominations, in earnest service for Christ. We welcome every new girl and urge all to join with us in our purpose in order that the Association may effectively fulfill its highest ideal.

Two Sunday evening vesper services each month are devoted to the Y. W. C. A. Those planning the programs strive to make them helpful to each individual.

The cabinet, composed of the members listed below, meets weekly to discuss all problems that may arise and to devise any scheme possible for promoting higher ideals on our campus.

## "Y" STORE COMMITTEE

| KATIE LEE WALTON | Manager   |
|------------------|-----------|
| ISABELLE McLEOD  | Chairman  |
| MABEL BAGBY      | Secretary |

MIRIAM DAUGHTRY MAISIE PATTERSON

# Follow the Gleam

To the knights in the days of old, Keeping watch on the mountain heights, Come a vision of Holy Grail; And a voice through the waiting night: Follow, follow, follow the gleam, Banners unfurled, o'er all the world, Follow, follow, follow the gleam Of the chalice that is the grail.

And we who would serve the King, And loyally him obey, In the consecrate silence know That the challenge still holds today: Follow, follow, follow the gleam, Standards of worth o'er all the earth, Follow, follow, follow the gleam Of the light that shall bring the dawn.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

The purpose of the Sunday School Department on the Meredith campus is threefold.

- 1. It seeks to create more interest in Sunday School work among the girls.
- 2. It aims to uphold the standards of the Southern Baptist Convention.
- 3. It seeks to correlate the work of the Meredith Sunday School classes in the different churches attended by the Meredith girls.

It is not the desire of the Sunday School Department to take the work from the churches, but rather to create more interest in the training school of the church.

# YOUNG WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Watchword—Daniel 12:3: "They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament, and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and ever."

Colors: Nile Green and White.

## CIRCLE LEADERS

FRANCES SCARBOROUGH SOPHIA LANNEAU MARJORIE SPENCE SALLIE WILLIAMS MARY WARREN LUCY MORETZ ZELMA HOCUTT NELL FOWLER CHARLOTTE HATCHER LOTTIE MOON VICTORIA BONEY FANNIE HECK BLANCHE BARRUS NORINE RATLEY BERNADINE FOYLES DOROTHY KELLAM HELEN OLDHAM DOROTHY GOWER ESTELLE WILKINS MARY REID

#### OUR Y.W.A. AT MEREDITH

The Y.W.A. of Meredith College is just like the Y.W.A. of your home church, except that it works on a larger scale. This organization welcomes you to Meredith College wholeheartedly. She wants you to become a live part of her aims and ideals. Let your relationship to your College Y.W.A. be merely a transitional step from the one you love in your home church.

The Y.W.A. wishes to help Meredith girls to be of greater service not only to the Baptists of North Carolina, who have so nobly made Meredith's past a blessing and are striving to make her future a greater blessing, but also to the people of the world. With the coöperation of every girl and with God as our Shepherd, this will not remain a longing, but will become a reality.

We have found the circle plan very effective, since it enables us to reach each girl and enlist her in definite work.

Two Sunday night vesper services a month are given under auspices of the Y.W.A. and each of these meetings has a devotional service and a definitely planned missionary program.

Baptist girls have an opportunity to continue giving to the special interests of their denomination, such as Orphanage, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and Hospital. A special interest of the Y.W.A. is its participation in contributing to the "Sisterhood Special," a fund given by the College Y.W.A.'s of our Southland to help worthy and capable European girls to study at our own W.M.U. Training School, that they may go back to their own people prepared to give themselves with their message, Interesting

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mission study classes are held at a convenient time during the year and each girl is urged to take advantage of this opportunity. We take an active part in a Good-Will Center in one of the nearby mill districts of Raleigh. For the past three years our Meredith Y.W.A. has attained the Standard of Excellence, becoming an A-1 College Y.W.A. For 1927-28 our tasks are big and definite, our aims are high. We shall count on each Meredith girl to do her part in making their completion and realization possible. "He shall be our Shepherd and He shall lead us."

## B. Y. P. U.

The purpose of the B.Y.P.U. is twofold: to minister to and develop the spiritual nature of the girls, and to train them for active service in their home churches. Through the B.Y.P.U. they are trained in devotion, doctrine, Bible study and missions. Thus they come to a better understanding of denominational work, and go back to their work with added efficiency.

Only a few years ago Meredith had no B.Y.P.U. organization. In '25 there were four Unions, while during the past year the number has increased to eight. We are hoping before the end of the 1928 session to have at least eleven wide-awake B.Y.P.U.'s on the campus.

Each Union has its separate meeting every Wednesday night, for 45 minutes, after which all come together for 15 minutes in the Chapel for General Assembly. Thus each girl has a chance to grow individually in her own Union, and yet, all are linked together in the general organization. The foremost aim of the organization is to enlist every girl on the campus in

active work for Jesus Christ and to strive to maintain the standard of excellence.

The officers for this year are:

#### GENERAL OFFICERS

| Annie Belle NoelGeneral      | Director        |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Frances ScarboroughAssociate | Director        |
| ELIZABETH APPLE              | Secretary       |
| DOROTHY TURLINGTON           | $\dots Pianist$ |
| PAULINE POWELL               | Chorister       |
| MUSETTE KITCHINPe            | p Leader        |

# PRESIDENTS OF THE DIFFERENT UNIONS

| Pearl Johnson | Union     | EULA HODGES         |
|---------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Winnnie Ricke | t Union   | ALICE LAWRENCE      |
| Evelyn Campb  | ell Union | LENA ALLEN          |
| Rosa Hocutt U | Inion     | KATIE LEE WALTON    |
| Celia Herring | Union     | ELLEN BROADWELL     |
| Perry Morgan  | Union     | Annie Mildred Kelly |
| Alda Grayson  | Union     | Louise Sullivan     |
| Foy Willingha | m Union   | MUSETTE KITCHIN     |
| The New Unio  | on        | MARGUERITE MASON    |

#### THE FOREIGN MISSION BAND

The Foreign Mission Band consists of students who have decided definitely to do mission work in foreign fields, and have signed the dedication card of the Student Volunteer Movement, which reads as follows: "It is my purpose, if God permits, to become a foreign missionary." The movement, as the name implies, is limited to students, and to such students as are planning to do foreign mission work.

The Band has one meeting each week, on Friday evening, from 6:45 to 7:45, to discuss

current mission news and problems. Occasionally an outside person speaks to the volunteers.

We are looking forward with real joy and hearts full of prayer to the arrival of the class of '31 at Meredith. Our supreme desire is that He, the Great Missionary, shall call many to carry His gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth, and that they shall answer: "Here am I, Lord, send me."

#### HOME SERVICE BAND

If you are planning to do Christian work of any kind in any place, we need you and you need us! We study and discuss every phase of religious activities in the Baptist denomination: Sunday School work, church work, work among foreigners and people of other races, work in the hospitals, mill districts, mountains and industrial centers; in fact, the preservation of lives and saving of souls of all people and in all conditions.

Besides the interesting programs, discussions, and an occasional talk from a speaker outside, we carry on practical work of social service among families in the county. This is of great help in training us for future work.

The Band meets twice each month. At these meetings the problems of home mission work are taken up. No pledge is required of members.

We are eagerly awaiting the arrival of you new students and sincerely hope that many will join us in our researches and discussions. Come help us in our glorious task of bringing Christ into the lives of many of our own people who are yet unsaved!

## "HINTS TO THE WISE"

Come early and avoid the rush.

The different religious organizations on our campus are uniting in welcoming you to Meredith. Look out for Meredith B.S.U. badges at the station.

Notify authorities of College if you come on a night train, so that arrangements may be made for some one to meet you.

Listen for the call of the night watchman, if you come on a night train.

Register as soon as possible after you arrive.

After you register, go to Information Bureau for any information.

Those wearing the B.S.U. badges will gladly give you any assistance they can during the days of classification.

Writing materials and all such incidentals may be purchased at the "Y" Store.

Ask the former students any time. They are always anxious to help you.

Bring pillow, pillow cases, sheets, blankets, dresser and table covers with you. Your material for curtains had best be bought here, so you will have no trouble in fitting your windows. But this is not all. Every college girl wants an attractive room. So bring your sofa cushions, pictures, mottoes, and all those little fixings which add so much to a room. Remember that you will be here for nine months, and you certainly will enjoy life more in a cheerful room.

Somebody is more homesick than you are. Try to forget that you are lonely and do something for that other girl.

The official bulletin-board, in the Library building, near Dr. Brewer's office, and the B.S.U. bulletin-board, at the entrance of A Dormitory, are very important. Watch them.

Remember to patronize the firms that advertise in our publications. "Turn about is fair play."

The Library is quiet for study. If you talk, it misses its purpose.

The Y. W. C. A. room is the social room on first floor of A Dormitory. You are always welcome there.

When you want to cook, go to kitchenette on first floor in your dormitory.

#### CHURCHES

There are Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Catholic, Christian, Disciples, and Lutheran churches in Raleigh. Every student is allowed to attend the church for which she has a preference. The first two Sundays after school opens the students are allowed to visit different churches of their denomination. After that they must fully decide what church they prefer to attend regularly.



#### ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

#### OFFICERS FOR 1927-28

| LORA DILLS      | President      |
|-----------------|----------------|
| SARA COBB       | Vice-President |
| ANNETTE BONEY   | Secretary      |
| DOROTHY ROWLAND | Treasurer      |

New girls, we welcome you. We need you in all phases of sport life on the campus. Come prepared to help make the physical side of life at Meredith exactly what it should be. At the beginning of the year the members of each class may sign up for the sport they are most interested in—basketball, tennis, baseball, volley ball, hiking, etc., and it is to be expected that they do their best to make their field the most successful on the campus.

# BASKETBALL

Each class has a team and inter-class games are played for the championship. The winning team is awarded a loving cup.

# SCHEDULE

| Juniors vs. Freshmen   | February 14, 21, 28  |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Seniors vs. Sophomores | Feb. 17, 24, March 2 |
| Finals                 | March 9, 16, 23      |

The five best players in school receive monograms and compose the varsity team.

# TENNIS

The tennis tournaments are played on the same plan as basketball—between classes. Those on the championship team receive monograms.

# SCHEDULE

| Juniors vs. FreshmenApril   | 24 |
|-----------------------------|----|
| Seniors vs. SophomoresApril | 27 |
| FinalMay                    | 4  |

#### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

From the middle of October until May Day, regular gymnasium exercises are required of all students except Seniors, for two hours each week.

Any girl who enjoys hiking is urged to walk for a monogram. Those who walk six hundred miles receive an "M"; five hundred miles, an "M.C."

In the coming year, 1927-28, we are hoping that all girls will take a more active interest in athletics than ever before, because in our new site there is ample room for many different sports, and we are hoping to make each rank with the best.

#### THE LITERARY SOCIETIES

The two literary societies offer a splendid field for individual activities and development along both literary and social lines.

The purpose of both the Astrotekton and Philaretian societies is to help students to combine academic work in a practical way with their social life, and to cultivate an interest in outside and current affairs. Society work offers excellent opportunity for self-expression and expansion.

Each new girl may join the society of her choice, after having become acquainted with the activities and members of both societies. The keenest competition is in evidence until the date of choosing, which is sometime before the first of October.

Both societies are looking forward with pleasure to the coming of the new girls, and extend a cordial welcome and invitation to the class of '31.

#### ASTROTEKTON OFFICERS

| TENTINOTE TELEVISION OF THE PERSON OF THE PE |              |
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| LONIE GORDON   | President    |
| DOROTHY TURLINGTONVic  | ce-President |
| MUSETTE KITCHIN  | Secretary    |
| Louise Hill  | Treasurer    |
| PHILARETIAN OFFICERS   |              |
| MADALINE MOORE   | President    |

Mary Glenn......Vice-President
Emily Carney......Secretary

# STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

The Twig is the official organ of the student body of Meredith College and is issued weekly. Its purpose is to reflect the happenings which concern the students by means of the editorials, and to keep the alumnæ in closer touch with each other and their Alma Mater through the alumni news. The Twig is a member of the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, deriving great benefit from its contact with other college papers through this medium. The Twig needs the cooperation of the student body and must have it if it is to continue to exist and grow.

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# GLEE CLUB

The Meredith Glee Club was organized in the fall of 1919 and since has become an integral part of college life through its noteworthy success. It is composed of twenty of the best voices in the school. Students from all departments are eligible, as only academic requirements have to be met.

The Glee Club is directed by Dr. Dingley Brown, head of the Department of Music, and under his leadership is making rapid strides toward vocal perfection among themselves and greater musical appreciation among the student body as a whole. Officers are as follows:

# THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

The International Relations Club meets the need of the students for a more thorough study and discussion of international problems and relations of the present day. Any students who are taking elective courses in history are eligible for membership. The club meets once a month and has as its adviser Professor Riley, head of the History Department.

The officers for the year 1927-28 are:

# CLASSICAL CLUB

The Classical Club was organized in September, 1921, to fill a long-felt need among the students especially interested in Latin and Greek. Its purpose is to supplement the work of the classroom, adding things of vital interest to those pursuing a classical education. In addition, it affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

Students taking advanced work in Latin and those electing Greek are eligible for membership in the club. Other students, upon a recommendation from teachers in the department, may be invited to become members also.

### THE "MATH" CLUB

Often you hear some student say, "Are you majoring in math?" To an affirmative answer there comes, "Well, you are the craziest person I ever saw." If this is true, this is a club of crazy students who meet together the first Monday of each month to study and discuss the problems and history of mathematics with the goal of arousing a greater interest in the higher courses in this subject. Those students who have finished Math I are eligible for membership, and, too, those who are taking Math I who are especially interested may become associate members.

# THE COLTON ENGLISH CLUB

The Colton English Club was organized in the fall of 1922. The object of this club, as stated in the Constitution, is to stimulate and cultivate interest in good written and spoken English and in the reading of good literature.

Membership is restricted to those electing English courses. Eligible students must apply for membership and their application must be voted on by the club. During the year 1925-26 joint meetings with the N. C. State College Club were held monthly. By means of this coöperative plan speakers of note were secured and great pleasure and benefit derived.

(Officers to be elected at the beginning of the year.)

### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club is composed of those who are especially interested in Home Economics. All students who have taken or who are taking work in the Home Economics Department of the College are eligible for membership.

The object of this club is to stimulate interest in the study of Home Economics. It affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

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N.B.—Each student is supplied at the opening of the College year with a copy of this book, and is responsible for the contents embodied herein.

Extra copies may be obtained for ten cents each.

# Alma Mater

We salute thee, Alma Mater, we salute thee with a song;

At thy feet our loyal hearts their tribute lay; We had waited for thy coming, in the darkness

We had waited for thy coming, in the darkness waited long,

Ere the morning star proclaimed thy natal day.

Thou hast come through tribulation, and thy robe is clean and white!

Thou art fairer than the summer in its bloom.

Thou art born unto a kingdom, and thy crown is all of light:

Thou shalt smile away the shadow and the gloom.

In thy path the fields shall blossom and the desert shall rejoice,

In the wilderness a living fountain spring;

For the blind shall see thy beauty, and the deaf shall hear thy voice,

And the silent tongues their high hosannas sing.

Where the rhododendron blushes on the burly mountain's breast,

In the midland where the wild deer love to roam,

Where the water-lily slumbers while the cypress guards its rest,

Lo! thy sunny land of promise and thy home.

Where the sons of Carolina taught a Nation to be free,

And her daughters taught their brothers to be brave:

O'er a land of peaceful plenty, from the highlands to the sea,

May thy banner, Alma Mater, ever wave!

R. T. VANN.

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# A Day's Program

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| Rising bell           | 0  |
| First breakfast bell  | 0  |
| Breakfast 7:4         | 5  |
| First class 8:3       | 0  |
| Second class 9:3      | 0  |
| Chapel10:3            | 0  |
| Third class11:0       | 0  |
| Fourth class12:0      | 0  |
| P.M                   | ι. |
| Lunch 1:0             | 0  |
| Fifth class 1:4       | 5  |
| Laboratory 2:4        | 5  |
| First dinner bell 5:4 | 5  |
| Dinner 6:0            | 0  |
| Study hour 7:4        | 5  |
| Visiting bell10:0     | 0  |
| Room bell10:2         | 0  |
| Tight holl 10.2       | ٨  |

# Social Calendar

# FALL:

For new girls especially-

S. G. and B. S. U. reception.

Society reception and entertainments.

Wake Forest Founders' Day.

Stunt night.

Interclass basketball games.

Society Day.

# SPRING:

Founders' Day.

Student Government Association Reception.

Wake Forest Anniversary.

Class Entertainments.

Tennis Tournaments.

Masquerade Party.

May Festival.

You are cordially invited to attend the

Informal Reception Biben to New Students by the

Student Gobernment and Baptist Student Union

at

eight o'clock p.m. Saturday, September eighth

# Statement From the Trustees For the Hand Book

The Board of Trustees approves the adoption and operation by the Faculty and the Student Body of what is commonly known as Student Government; subject, however, to the following limitations:

- 1. The following matters are reserved from Student control, and as to these the Faculty and the officers of the College shall have control:
  - a. All academic matters.
  - All matters affecting the health of the students.
  - c. Chapel exercises.
  - d. Organization of clubs and societies.
  - e. Control of College property.
- 2. To the President, to the Dean, and to the Dean of Women, with their respective committees, is reserved the right to handle special cases of discipline which in their judgment can best be handled in this way; subject to the right of the Trustees to review the same, if the Trustees so desire.
- 3. The Trustees reserve all powers and authority not hereinbefore specifically granted to others, and reserve the right to modify or repeal this grant of authority at any time in their discretion.



# STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

#### Officers

| MARION FISKE       | President      |
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FRANCES FULGHUM. Vice-President.

Dormitory B-

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Dormitory C-

CHLORIS KELLUM, President.

Dormitory D-

THELMA THADLOCK, President.

ANNIE SARAH BARKWELL, Vice-President.

Cheer Leader-Pauline Powell

# Student Government Department

Student Government means all the Meredith girls, with a real Meredith sense of honor, working together to make Meredith the best college possible.

The Honor System is the basis of our policy. This means that in its application to the conduct of its members each girl is to be trusted to observe all the laws of the Student Government Association. These laws are made by the students themselves, and approved by the Faculty. As long as a student is a member of the Association it is expected that she feel not only a personal responsibility in abiding by its laws, but a responsibility to the community, seeing to it that her fellow-students live up to the same standard of honor.

It is only through the spirit of coöperation that any system of self-government can rise to an ideal plane of efficiency.

The spirit of the Student Association is the real college spirit, and a loyal student spirit means not only a coöperating student organization, but clean athletics, religious organizations, and working literary societies. The success of any organization in college depends on the attitude of the girls toward the Student Government Association. We must work together for the common good of all before we can work in groups in smaller organizations. The Student Government encourages loyalty to all organizations, promptness in all duties, and a spirit of love and friendship among the girls.

# Constitution

# ARTICLE I

#### NAME

This Association shall be called the STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MEREDITH COLLEGE.

# ARTICLE II

#### OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be the government of the student body.

### ARTICLE III

#### MEMBERSHIP

- SECTION 1. All resident students, upon registration at Meredith, shall automatically become members of the Student Government Association. Nonresident students are under immediate jurisdiction of the Association, except in matters which are naturally under the control of their parents or guardians.
- Sec. 2. Since each student in coming to Meredith accepts college citizenship involving self-government under the Honor System, she assumes the following obligations:
- 1. To inform herself as to the academic and non-academic responsibilities which are matters of college honor.
- 2. To conform her own conduct to the Meredith standards of honor and to fulfill her community duty by coöperating in holding others to those standards, as follows:

- a. By reporting herself for breach of conduct,
  - (1) In non-academic matters
    - (a) In dormitory-to House President.
    - (b) In all other cases—to President of Student Government.
  - (2) In academic matters to
    - (a) Instructor, or
    - (b) President of Student Government.
- b. By asking offenders to report themselves.
- c. By putting the matter before the proper authorities if the offender refuses to report herself.
- Sec. 3. Each freshman vote will count as one-half.

# ARTICLE IV

# OFFICERS-THEIR ELECTION AND DUTY

- SECTION 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer.
- Sec. 2. (a) The President shall be chosen from the incoming Senior class.
- (b) The officers and House Presidents shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting held the second Monday in March, except the President, who shall be elected ten days previous to the above date, followed by the nomination and election of the B. S. U., Athletic, and Society presidents and the Editors-in-Chief of the Student publications, in the order above mentioned. These major officers of the college organizations shall have been elected and the nominations for minor Student Government officers posted three days before the second Monday in March.
- (c) The officers shall enter upon their duties at the beginning of the fall term.

- SEC. 3. (a) It shall be the duty of the President to preside over all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to appoint any call meetings she may consider necessary, and to appoint all committees not otherwise provided for in these articles.
- (b) The duties of the Vice-President shall be the same as those of the President, should the President at any time be unable to perform her duties.
- (c) It shall be the duty of the Secretary to record the proceedings of all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, to post all official notices, to submit to the Dean the list of members, officers, committees, and other bodies appointed by the Association.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a strict and permanent account of all receipts and expenditures, to collect fines, to present a report at the annual meetings of the Association, and to perform other duties that may devolve upon her as Treasurer of the Association.

# ARTICLE V

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

- SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers of the Association, House Presidents, Vice House Presidents, Town Girls President (provided the total number of the whole committee does not exceed fourteen), and one representative from each of the two lower classes.
- SEC. 2. (a) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to meet every week, to enforce

the rules of the Association, and to consider business of that body.

- (b) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to divide the corridors into districts, and to determine the tenure of office of the proctors.
- (c) The Executive Committee may, at its discretion, summon before it and reprimand any member or members of the Association. The committee shall have the right to withdraw privileges from and to impose penalties upon any member or members of the Association. These, however, shall be reported to the Advisory Committee before being put into effect. The penalties of demerits, suspension, and expulsion shall be subject to the approval of the faculty or a committee representing the faculty.
- (d) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to consider proposed regulations and to refer such as are adopted to the student body to be voted upon. The regulation, if passed by the student body, will go before the faculty for approval or disapproval.
- SEC. 3. (a) The Advisory Committee shall consist of the Dean of Women and two other members of the Faculty elected annually by the Student Executive Committee.
- (b) The duties of the Advisory Committee shall be to receive reports from the Executive Committee and to confer with that committee whenever occasion may demand.

# ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

SECTION 1. (a) A meeting shall be held as soon as possible after the beginning of the

college year, at which time the Constitution, By-Laws, and Regulations shall be read and explained.

- (b) A meeting shall be held the second Monday in March for the election of officers.
- (c) A meeting of the Association shall be called once each month for reports from the Executive Committee and discussion by the members.
- SEC. 2. Meetings of the Association may be called at any time by the President on her own motion, and must be called by her on the written request of ten members. The object of these special meetings shall be stated in writing when the request is made.
- SEC. 3. There shall be a special course of Freshman training in Student Government for the new girls during the first few weeks in the fall. Attendance upon these meetings is compulsory. An examination will be given at the end of the course.

### ARTICLE VII

### JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

The judicial power of the Association shall be vested in—

- 1. The Executive Committee, which shall constitute the higher court.
- 2. The House Committee, which shall form a House Council, whose duties shall be to enforce house rules and deal with infractions of the same.

### ARTICLE VIII

#### QUORUM

- SECTION 1. (a) One-third of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business.
- (b) Two-thirds of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the annual meeting in March, for any meeting in which an amendment or change in the Constitution is voted on, and when the Association is acting in its judicial capacity.

# ARTICLE IX

#### AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1. An amendment may be proposed by the Faculty, by the Student Executive Committee, or by any fifteen members of the Association. The proposed amendment shall be posted at least one week before it is presented to the Association, and shall be approved by the Faculty of the College before its adoption.

# By-Laws

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The rules contained in Roberts' Rules of Order shall govern the Association in all business meetings.

#### TT

- (a) The annual dues of the Association shall be one dollar and fifty cents.
- (b) A fine of fifty cents shall be imposed upon any member of the Association who is absent from a meeting without an excuse acceptable to the Executive Committee.

#### TTT

- (a) Nominations for officers shall be posted at least three days before election.
- (b) A plurality of votes cast shall elect all officers of the Association.

#### IV

- (a) Each college dormitory shall be divided into districts, each of which shall have a proctor, elected by the hall. There shall be a House President for each house and a Vice House President.
- (b) The House President, together with the proctors of the house, shall form a House Council, whose duties shall be to enforce all rules of the Association pertaining to the government of the house.
- (c) Every student within three weeks after the opening of the fall semester shall sign the

following statement: "I have read the Constitution, By-Laws, and Regulations of the Student Government Association. I realize that I am on my honor to keep and enforce the rules of the Association, and I pledge myself to observe the same and to try to be a consistent member."

- (d) There shall be regular meetings of the House Council every two weeks.
  - (e) Proctors will not give permissions.
- (f) The Vice House President shall act in the absence of the House President and assist her as occasion demands.

# V

In addition to the Student Government Executive Committee there shall be a College Council, composed of both the Faculty and Student Executive Committees. The President of the College shall act as chairman. The Council shall meet on Tuesday afternoon before the first Wednesday in each month.

The duties of this Council shall be:

- 1. To officially represent the student body.
- 2. To study the problems of the college community and to suggest solutions for the same.
- 3. To consider the constitution of all organizations arising in the student body, and to pass upon those whose purpose shall be of benefit to the student body; and to classify them according to their importance and relation to other college activities.

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There shall also be a Nominating Committee, composed of the Presidents of the major student organizations, the editors-in-chief of the student publications, the class presidents, Town Girls President, the Dean of Women, and three Faculty members, chosen by the student members of the nominating committee. The President of the Student Government Association shall act as chairman of this committee.

The duties of this committee shall be:

- 1. To act as Nominating Committee.
- 2. To see that the point system is enforced.

# Student Regulations

The following regulations have been adopted to govern college life at Meredith because they embody recognized social obligations and standards and express the will of the majority as to rules under which they can best live together. Each member of the Student Government Association is therefore bound to uphold them as long as they stand. It is understood that the maintenance of these regulations is a matter of personal honor.

Students are under the college regulations from the time they reach Raleigh until they take the train to leave Raleigh, or until they have received permission from the Dean of Women to visit in the city at Christmas vacation or at the close of the session.

If any girl so conducts herself as to bring discredit upon Meredith, she may be dealt with by the Executive Committee, although there be no existing rule to cover the exact circumstances of the case.

# 1. Bells— I. HOUSE RULES

- (a) The rising bell will ring at 7:00 a.m., the light bell at 10:30 p.m., and the house will be quiet until rising bell.
- (b) Visiting bell will ring at 10:00 p.m.; room bell at 10:20 p.m.

# 2. Quiet-

(a) Quiet must be observed during Silent Hour (2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.) on Sunday after-

noons, and during the Study Hours of the morning and evening.

- (b) Under no circumstances will visiting during the Sunday Silent Hour be allowed unless permission has been obtained from the House President before 2:00 p.m.
- (c) Pianos, victrolas, and other musical instruments may not be used on Sunday morning or during Silent Hour.
- (d) Victrolas may be played during the week between the hours of 2:30 and 7:15, and between 10:00 and 10:20 p.m.
- (e) Students may not be absent from their rooms during Study Hour except for studying in the library, classrooms, or social rooms, without permission from the House President.
- (f) With permission of the House President, girls may spend the night with friends in the same or other buildings. This applies to week nights. On Saturday and Sunday nights they register with the House President.
- (g) Busy signs are to be strictly observed. They may be used only for the purpose of study and rest.

A No Ad. is a personal request, and should be courteously observed.

### II. GUESTS

- 1. Students may entertain lady callers in their rooms except during the Study Hours of morning, afternoon, and evening or Silent Hour.
- 2. Men may not enter the dormitory without special permission from the Dean of Women.
- 3. Students may see out-of-town guests for fifteen minutes. In this case, college students (Wake Forest, Duke, Carolina) are not consid-

ered out-of-town guests. Underclassmen may not receive callers during Study Hour.

- 4. Students may not entertain their friends overnight at the College without permission from the Dean of Women.
- 5. Guests may be entertained in the dormitory over the week-end only on the following conditions:
- (a) That permission has been secured, in advance, from the office of the Dean of Women.
- (b) That no more students sleep in the room than there are single beds in the room.
- (c) That they are informed of all house rules and are willing to comply with all.

Note-Week-ends mean Saturday and Sunday.

# III. TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAMS

The pay-station telephone may not be used during Study Hour, except by Seniors.

# IV. REGISTRATION

1. Students will not leave the College grounds without registering except for walking nearby.

2. In registering please observe the following: Write your name legibly and neatly.

State the name of your chaperon.

State when you will leave.

State the exact place you are going (giving full address), and expected time of return.

Immediately upon your return sign the exact time of reaching the College.

Students may not register for each other.

3. Students will register in office of the Dean of Women for callers. This must be done before dinner of the evening upon which the call is made.

4. When shopping, calling, riding, etc., in the afternoon, students must register back on the campus at 6 o'clock.

# V. CHAPEL AND CHURCH

1. Chapel attendance is required of all students, unless excused in advance at the office of Dean of Women. Students must be in their places when the organist begins playing, after which time talking is forbidden.

No books will be taken into chapel.

- 2. Students may choose any church as a church home within the first three weeks after school opens, and register the same on their schedule cards and in the Sunday School and Church roll books.
- 3. Students must mark themselves present each Sunday in the Church book. This means presence at both Sunday School and church. When away from the College or in the Infirmary absences will be checked and excused in the office of the Dean of Women.

Each girl is permitted to be absent from Sunday School and church five Sundays out of the year without excuse.

- 4. Students are allowed to attend other churches than their home church five Sundays out of the year. When visiting please state the name of the church.
- 5. Students must attend church where they attend Sunday School, except on the Sundays they visit other churches, in which case they may go directly from Sunday School to the church visited in groups of two or three.

- 6. Students may attend church at night with an approved upperclassman as chaperon.
- 7. Reports of absence and visiting other churches will be sent weekly to the office of the Dean of Women.
- 8. Students may not walk or sit on the campus during vesper services.
- 9. Students may not go to drug stores on Sunday or order from drug stores.

# VI. DELINQUENCIES

A student persistently absent will be called to explain to the Faculty and may be required to withdraw from College.

For excused absence from chapel, no penalty.

For unexcused absence from chapel, a student shall be campused one week for the fifth and one week for each additional two unexcused absences during any semester.

For excused absence from gymnasium, no penalty.

For unexcused absence from gymnasium, the student shall be campused one week for the third and one week for each additional unexcused absence from gymnasium during any semester.

For excused absence from class, a student shall receive a reduction of one honor point for the ninth and a reduction of one honor point for each three additional excused absences.

For unexcused absence from class, a student shall receive a reduction of one honor point for each unexcused absence.

Upon recommendation of the Dean of Women the Faculty may suspend these rules in case of a prolonged absence. Students will be notified by the Dean of Women when an absence is reported which is not accounted for by the College Physician.

#### VII. SOCIAL

- 1. Students may dine with friends in town any three evenings during a semester, with a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women, provided they are back by the Study Hour.
- 2. All invitations in the city must be sent by the hostess to the office of the Dean of Women.
- 3. Any overnight absence from the College (whether on a holiday or a week-end), unless spent in Raleigh with members of the immediate family, will count as one of the four semester week-ends allowed.
- 4. Students may occasionally spend Sundays in town, at the discretion of the Dean of Women.
- 5. When visiting in the city, students may appear on the streets or in public gatherings with young men, if chaperons have been approved by the Dean of Women. The hostess is considered an approved chaperon. This does not apply to resident students whose homes are in Raleigh.
- 6. With permission of the Dean of Women, students may go driving any one afternoon during the week, except Sunday, provided a chaperon approved by the Dean of Women has been secured.
- 7. Students when attending social functions in the evening must be in by 10:20 p.m.
- 8. When visiting, students may leave the College Saturday when work is finished, but they must be back at the College for their first appointment.

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- 9. Students may attend ball games any one afternoon in the week, with an official chaperon, or on Saturday night with faculty chaperon.
  - 10. Society initiation night is a closed night.

# VIII. OTHER REGULATIONS

- 1. Meredith College students are expected to conduct themselves with dignity at all times. While prolonged conversations may not be carried on, students may speak to their friends.
- 2. A committee, appointed by the President of the College, will censor all public performances and all printed matter.
- 3. Students do not visit restaurants, hotels, or hospitals without permission.
- 4. Hazing is absolutely forbidden. Any interference by one class with another class, or by members of one class with the members of another class, is included in the term hazing.
- 5. The punishment for cheating on examination, or elsewhere, will be expulsion, withdrawal of credits, or demerits, or a combination of the last two, at the discretion of Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.
- 6. Dancing and card-playing will not be permitted. As cards may not be used for any purpose whatsoever at Meredith College, you are asked not to have them in your possession. In regard to these there is a difference of opinion, but all will agree that it is safe to replace them by other recreations.
- 7. Sororities of whatever name or kind, whether regular or irregular, affiliating or unaffiliating with similar organizations elsewhere, are absolutely prohibited. The punishment for

this offense will be expulsion, demerits, or suspension, or a combination of any of these at the discretion of the Academic Council and Student Executive Committee.

- 8. Students may not return to Raleigh on trains or cars arriving after 10:00 p.m., unless they have arranged for this in advance at the office of the Dean of Women.
- 9. Alumnæ are asked to register in the office of the Dean of Women when visiting the College. Calling hours and all house rules must be observed.
- 10. Among the offenses for which call-downs are administered are the following:
- (a) Failure to return to campus within prescribed time.
  - (b) Irregularity in registering.
- (c) Failure to say good night to callers within five minutes after bell rings.
  - (d) Misconduct in Chapel.
  - (e) Marks for untidy room.
  - (f) Violation of House Rules.
  - (g) Violation of Library Rules.
  - (h) Violation of Dining-Room Regulations.
  - (i) Practicing before rising bell.
- 11. Underclassmen with a general average of B on the fall semester's work may have an extra week-end in the spring.

#### FRESHMEN PRIVILEGES

- 1. May shop in groups of two or more any one afternoon. On shopping days may attend movies.
- 2. During the first four weeks in the fall Freshmen must be accompanied by old students when walking off campus or shopping.

- 3. May have callers one afternoon each week from 3:00 to 5:30 o'clock, the first Saturday night of each month from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock, and one extra week night a month.
- 4. May have two extra evenings a semester for callers or for attending movies. Must be accompanied by a chaperon when attending evening movies.
- 5. With permission from home, may spend two week-ends away from the College a semester. This permission must be sent direct to the office of the Dean of Women, and must state to whom the visit is to be made.
- 6. May occasionally go calling, with permission, but may not have dates while calling.
- 7. May attend church at night with permission and an upperclassman as chaperon.

# SOPHOMORE PRIVILEGES

- 1. May have callers any two afternoons a week from 3:00 to 5:30 o'clock, and the second Saturday evening of each month, and one extra week night a month. May have two extra evenings a semester for callers or for attending movies.
- 2. May shop in groups of two any two afternoons.
- 3. May make calls in town with the permission of the Dean of Women three times a month. May not have dates while calling.
- 4. May attend the movies one afternoon a week.
- 5. With permission from home, may spend four week-ends a semester away from the College. This permission must be sent direct to

the office of the Dean of Women, and must state to whom the visit is to be made.

#### JUNIOR PRIVILEGES

- 1. Juniors, approved by the Dean of Women, may chaperon wherever student chaperonage is permissible.
- 2. Members of the class may go to the dentist or oculist in groups of two, provided the permission of the nurse has been secured.
- 3. May attend church Sunday night in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 4. May have callers any two afternoons or evenings a week and the third Saturday evening of each month.
- 5. May shop in groups of two or call any three afternoons a week.
- 6. Juniors are granted four evenings a semester for social engagements.
- 7. May go to ball games at the city auditorium in the afternoon, in groups of two.
- 8. May spend two Sundays in town a semester. May ride in afternoon, provided permission from home has been secured.
- 9. With permission from home, may spend four week-ends a semester away from the College. This permission must be sent direct to the office of the Dean of Women, and must state to whom the visit is to be made.

# SENIOR PRIVILEGES

1. May walk and shop alone any time of the day until 6:00 p.m. May ride with ladies from downtown, if they have riding permission.

- 2. May register and make calls in town once a week. May not have dates when calling.
- 3. May have callers any three afternoons or evenings a week. The fourth Saturday evening of each month is reserved for Seniors. For special occasions, with permission of the Dean of Women, Seniors may spend the afternoon or evening away from the College, substituting this for a date night.
- 4. With permission from home, Seniors may spend four week-ends away from the College. This permission must be sent direct to the Dean of Women, and must state to whom visit is to be made.
- 5. May go to ball games, matinees and pictures in groups of two in the afternoon without a chaperon.
- 6. May occasionally spend a Sunday in town, not to exceed three Sundays each semester. May ride in afternoons with hostess, provided permission has been secured.
- 7. May attend church Sunday nights in groups of three without a chaperon.
- 8. May go once a week to ball games at the city auditorium and picture shows at night in groups of three, unchaperoned, provided this be substituted for a date night.
- 9. May be excused from registering for Sunday School and church.
- 10. May dine in town once a month, provided this is substituted for a date night.
  - 11. May have light permission until 11:00.
- 12. Seniors may be granted extra privileges at the discretion of the Dean of Women during the last six weeks.
  - 13. Six Seniors, approved by the Executive

Committee of the Faculty, may act in the capacity of official chaperons at the discretion of the Dean of Women.

## HEALTH REGULATIONS

- 1. Permission to keep lights on after 10:30 by regular students, and after 11:00 p.m. by Student Government officers, is granted only by the College Physician, or, in her absence, from the office of the Dean of Women.
- 2. Permission to practice, etc., before rising bell granted in the same way.
- 3. Appointments with doctors, other than College Physician, must be made by the nurse.
- 4. Students being in the Infirmary or excused from work on account of sickness during the forenoon may not exercise social privileges during the afternoon or evening.
- 5. No food may be served by students to any girl who is sick.

## HOUSEHOLD REGULATIONS

- 1. Bedrooms and bathrooms must be in order by 9:30 a.m.
  - 2. No trash may be swept into the corridors.
- 3. Furniture must not be removed from any room without the Matron's permission.
- 4. No student may, without permission from the Housekeeper, have colored women come to the room or to the dormitory corridors.

Note-Miss White's office hours are 8:30 to 9:00 a.m., and 1:30 to 2:00 p.m.

#### DINING-ROOM REGULATIONS

1. The dining-room doors shall be closed ten minutes after the bell rings. Students may not

enter after doors are closed without permission of dietitian or Dean of Women.

- 2. No food, except fruit, cookies, or candies, may be taken from the dining-room.
- 3. No dishes, silver, or other dining-room equipment may be taken from the dining-room, without the permission of the dietitian.
- 4. No student is expected to leave the diningroom in the evening until the whole table is excused. If necessary to be excused, ask the hostess and explain to her, then or later, the necessity for your request.

Note-Miss Welch will observe office hours for fifteen minutes after each meal.

# MISCELLANEOUS

#### COLLEGE CALENDAR

In order to avoid confusion in the College Calendar, dates for all entertainments or organization meetings, which are likely to cause conflict, must be arranged with the Dean of Women, whether the original permission for the entertainments or meetings was granted by her or not. Presidents of clubs and all student organizations should register dates of regular and special meetings as far in advance as possible.

#### BUDGET

| S. G. (including T   | 'wig)\$         | 3.60 |
|----------------------|-----------------|------|
| B. S. U              |                 | 2.20 |
| Athletic Association |                 | .40  |
| Society (including   | (Section Acorn) | 4.30 |
| Annual               |                 | 4.25 |

This budget must be paid on the second Monday in October. Each student is required to pay it.

# ORDER OF CLASSIFICATION AND ACA-DEMIC REGULATIONS NOT PRINTED IN THE CATALOGUE

- 1. Go to the President's office and register.
- 2. Then go to the Bursar's office and pay your matriculation fee of twenty-five dollars, which is necessary before you can be classified.
- 3. In return for this the Bursar will give you a receipt, which you must carry with you to the Dean's office, where you will be classified.
- 4. Unexcused absence will entail lowering of grade. Students will arrange with their instructors about making up work missed.
- 5. Students will receive zeros for cutting the last recitation in subjects before a holiday, and the first day after a holiday.
- 6. Students may not miss class work or private lessons, or change them from one day to another, to make visits.
- 7. A student may not drop a subject or change her course without written permission from the Dean.
- 8. Students are required to take examinations in all subjects pursued during a semester.
- 9. Students may not take part in plays or other entertainments without the permission of the Dean. Ordinarily, permission will not be given to those who are not making grade, or who have more than sixteen hours of work per week.
  - 10. A first-year student must pass three se-

mester hours, a second-year student six semester hours, a third- or fourth-year student nine semester hours during any given semester to be eligible for admission the next semester.

- 11. A first-year student must pass eighteen semester hours, all other students twenty-one semester hours, during the year in order to be eligible for admission the next year.
- 12. Permission to practice plays or hold meetings of any nature, during study hours, is granted only by the Dean of Women.
- 13. Students whose names appear on the delinquent list will be deprived of social privileges at the discretion of the instructors concerned and the Dean of Women.
- 14. For out-staying their leave, without proper excuse, or for any other irregularity in connection with week-end visits, students will be deprived of future week-end privileges, at the discretion of the Dean of Women. If it is the last week-end, the case will be acted upon by the Faculty.
- 15. An absence from any College duty just preceding or following a holiday will mean more than an unexcused absence, and will be acted upon by the Faculty.

# REGULATIONS FOR TUTORING

- 1. Students may tutor only with tutors who have been approved by the Dean and the head of the department.
- 2. The number of hours which a tutor may have will be determined by the Dean. (Ordinarily, three hours of tutoring will count as one academic hour.)

- Absences from tutoring lessons and unprepared will be reported and counted as if from regular class.
- 4. The price for tutoring lessons will be, under ordinary circumstances, thirty-five cents an hour for individual work. If there are more than one in a course the Dean and the tutor will determine the price.

#### MUSIC PRACTICE

- 1. Under all circumstances proctors will mark a student absent if she does not practice during the time assigned her.
- 2. Under no circumstances do proctors excuse students; therefore, do not make such requests of them. Make these requests of the Head Proctor.
- 3. Under all ordinary conditions students will practice at their regular time. If any one wishes to substitute some other hour, the permission of the Head Proctor must be obtained before the change is made; otherwise, the absence will not be excused. Practice may not begin before 6:45 a.m.
- 4. When students are given the privileges of making up practice, it must be made up and so reported within three days from the time it was missed. Otherwise it will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 5. All students taking as much as two hours of practice are required to attend the student recitals on Thursday afternoons; any other music student not having the equivalent of fifteen hours of work a week will be required to

attend. An unexcused absence from recital will count as an absence from regular practice.

- 6. Every absence or tardiness should be explained to the Head Proctor at once. Unless so explained, after three days such delinquency will go on the College record as unexcused.
- 7. Three unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing from one to two hours a day.

Four unexcused absences from practice during any quarter causes loss of privileges for a month for those practicing three or more hours a day.

In all cases two tardies count as one absence; leaving practice rooms without permission for visiting or other purposes will count as a tardy.

# LIBRARY REGULATIONS

During the College year the Library is open daily, except Sundays, from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., and 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Students may borrow general books for two weeks, or for a shorter period, determined by the demand for the book. At the expiration of two weeks books may be renewed for one week, provided that they are not needed by other persons. Any book may be recalled by the librarian when needed in the Library.

Books must not be taken from the Library until they have been charged at the desk. All books taken out of the Library must be returned to one of the Library assistants or left on the desk.

A fine of two cents per day will be charged

for each day that a general book is kept out overtime.

Reserved books are books that are kept in the Library for special classes. They may be taken out at 9:00 in the evening or as soon thereafter as they are not in use, and must be returned promptly when the Library opens.

A fine of ten cents an hour or fraction thereof will be charged for each hour a reserved book is kept out overtime.

Fines not paid within a week from the date the fine list is posted will be increased ten per cent for each week the fine remains unpaid.

Students are not to go to the reserve shelves, but must call at the desk for books wanted. If you know that a book is reserved, you should call for it by the author and title of the book and name the course in which it is assigned: for example, Edman's Human Traits, Sociology. Only one reserve book may be taken to use in the room at one time, because we have so few books. Do not keep a reserve book after you finish using it. Someone may be waiting for it.

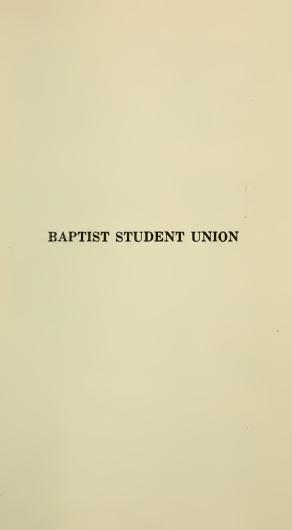
Two taps of the bell indicate that all reserve books are to be returned to the desk at once. Three taps of the bell, that students are to leave the Library. The bell is tapped three times five minutes before the end of the period preceding chapel; twice at fifteen minutes before closing time, and three times five minutes before closing time. This is done in order to get the desk cleared before chapel, and to get reserved books ready to go out at closing time.

Students found with missing Library books in their possession will be subject to a penalty of two demerits for the first offense, and five demerits if the offense is repeated.

Students mutilating Library books, magazines, or papers, will be penalized by the Faculty, on recommendation of the Library Committee.

Students creating disorder or disturbance in the Library will be subject to call-downs for each offense.





#### MOTTO

"Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."—PHILIPPIANS 4:8.

#### GREETING

As members of the Southern Baptist Student Union we heartily welcome you to Meredith. May you find here Christian friendship, opportunities for service, and a deeper knowledge of Jesus Christ.

The B. S. U. is a correlation of the religious activities of the college students and the federation of all the unit religious organizations. The membership of the unit organizations—Y.W.A., B.Y.P.U., Sunday School, and Volunteer Bands—constitutes the membership of the Baptist Student Union. In this manner, the B.S.U. offers a wide field of interests and activities, and we hope that each new student will take advantage of all the opportunities for Christian service and training.

# B.S.U. SLOGANS

Every student a Christian.

Every student enlisted in Sunday School.

Every Baptist an A-1 member of a B.Y.P.U.

Every Baptist an A-1 member of the Y.W.A. Every volunteer for Christian vocations in

training.

# Officers of Baptist Student Union

# B. S. U.

| B. S. U.              |                   |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| President             | RUTH TRUESDELL    |
| First Vice-President  | MATTIE LASSITER   |
| Second Vice-President | MATTIE LEE EAGLES |
| Treasurer             | MABEL BAGBY       |
| Secretary             | JOYBELLE CLARK    |
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## Y. W. A.

| President           | MARGUERIT | E MASON |
|---------------------|-----------|---------|
| Vice-President      | JULIA     | GRIMES  |
| Secretary-Treasurer | Ann       | ESIMMS  |

# B. Y. P. U.

| Director           | ELIZABETH APPLE  |
|--------------------|------------------|
| Assistant Director | MARION HARRIS    |
| Secretary          | KATHLEEN DURHAM  |
| Pianist            | EDITH ROWE GRADY |
| Chorister          | PAULINE POWELL . |
| Pep Leader         | BESSIE HIMES     |

# SUNDAY SCHOOL

| Director           | PAULINE POWELL  |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| Associate Director | ELIZABETH JAMES |
| Secretary          | MARGARET PEELE  |

# STUDENT VOLUNTEERS

# HOME SERVICE

| PresidentLucy | BENNETT |
|---------------|---------|
|               |         |

## B-HIVE

Manager Nell Barker

# **Baptist Student Union Constitution**

# ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of the general religious activity of Meredith College shall be SOUTHERN BAPTIST STUDENT UNION.

## ARTICLE II

#### MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall include the unit religious organizations on the campus.

# ARTICLE III

#### OBJECT

The object of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be as follows:

First. To strengthen, correlate and unify all of the separate unit religious organizations (Y. W. A., B. Y. P. U., Volunteer Bands, Sunday School Department) into one campus organizations with one all-inclusive program of religious activity.

Second. To advocate and advance in every wise way the several objects of the various unit religious organizations.

Third. To enlist vitally, in and through the separate unit organizations, every student and community member of the institution in that religious activity or activities which she needs for her highest Christian development and spiritual growth.

Fourth. To direct all religious activities on the campus.

# ARTICLE IV

#### OFFICERS

There shall be the following officers: President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer.

# ARTICLE V

#### EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

There shall be an Executive Council of the Southern Baptist Student Union, which shall consist of the officers of the Southern Baptist Student Union and one member representing each unit organization having membership in the Southern Baptist Student Union.

There shall be a Baptist representative of the Faculty.

The Southern Baptist Student Union may, at will, elect new members to the Executive Council, or discontinue those that may become unnecessary.

The President of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be chairman of the Executive Council.

# ARTICLE VI

#### MEETINGS

SECTION 1. The Executive Council shall meet twice each month, on Monday, at 9:30 p.m.

Sec. 2. The Southern Baptist Student Union, as such, shall meet as often as is necessary to maintain a proper *esprit de corps*.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### COMMITTEES

- SECTION 1. Executive. The Executive Council of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be the Executive Committee.
- SEC. 2. Statistical. The Recording Secretary shall be chairman of the Statistical Committee, whose duty it shall be to secure weekly reports of the members of the Executive Council as to the membership in and attendance upon the various unit organizations. These reports shall be diligently recorded, posted, and published.
- SEC. 3. Special. Other permanent or special committees may be appointed at the will of the President of the Southern Baptist Student Union.
- Sec. 4. Ex Officio. The President of the Southern Baptist Student Union and the President of the College shall be ex officio members of all committees.

# ARTICLE VIII

#### BUDGET

A budget shall be made each year of the necessary expenses of the Southern Baptist Student Union. Each unit shall share proportionately in this budget.

# ARTICLE IX

#### RECOGNITION

The President, the Faculty, and the Board of Trustees shall be urged to vest in this Southern Baptist Student Union that prestige and power which shall make it the governing factor, subject at all times to the higher school authorities, of the religious life and activities of the students of the campus.

The institution shall be asked to support and sanction the entire Southern Baptist Student Union.

# **By-Laws**

# ARTICLE I

#### ELECTIONS

The officers of the Southern Baptist Student Union shall be elected annually, as near as possible sixty days before the spring commencement of the institution.

New officers shall assume their responsibilities six weeks before the spring commencement.

# ARTICLE II

## OFFICERS' DUTIES

The duties of the officers and the members of the Executive Council shall be those commonly assigned to similar officers in like organizations, or as is otherwise designated.

# ARTICLE III

# EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

It shall be the special duty of the Executive Council to review the entire organized religious activity and program of the institution; to prevent over-organization and unnecessary over-lapping of activities; to contemplate the religious and spiritual needs and developments of every student in the institution; to agree upon all religious activities of the institution before presentation to the student body; to correlate and propagate all religious activities of the institution.

## ARTICLE IV

#### AMENDMENTS

The Constitution and By-Laws may be changed at any meeting of the Southern Baptist Student Union, provided the Executive Council approves the change and that two weeks notice has been given, and three-fourths of a determined quorum vote for such changes.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

The purpose of the Sunday School Department on the Meredith campus is threefold.

- 1. It seeks to create more interest in Sunday School work among the girls.
- 2. It aims to uphold the standards of the Southern Baptist Convention.
- 3. It seeks to correlate the work of the Meredith Sunday School classes in the different churches attended by the Meredith girls.

It is not the desire of the Sunday School Department to take the work from the churches, but rather to create more interest in the training school of the church.

## YOUNG WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

WATCHWORD—Daniel 12:3: "They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament, and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and ever."

Colors: Nile Green and White.

#### CIRCLE LEADERS

| First Floor A:   | Le         | ader    |
|------------------|------------|---------|
| Dorothy Gower    | CircleLois | ARNETTE |
| Second Floor A . |            |         |

 $Second\ Floor\ A$ :

Dorothy Kellam Circle......EVELYN McCALL Third Floor A:

Lottie Moon Circle..... MARY LOUISE HUFFMAN Third Floor B:

Second Floor B:

Nell Fowler Circle.....VIDA MILLER Third Floor R:

Fannie Heck Circle.....Louise Meyers First Floor D:

Mary Reid Circle.....BLONDIE MORSE Second Floor D:

Sophia Lanneau Circle.....LENA STEVENS Third Floor D:

Blanche Barrus Circle.....EUNICE BULLARD Third Floor C:

Marjorie Spence Circle......Cora Fender

#### OUR Y.W.A. AT MEREDITH

The Y.W.A. of Meredith College is just like the Y.W.A. of your home church, except that it works on a larger scale. This organization welcomes you to Meredith College wholeheartedly. She wants you to become a live part of her aims and ideals. Let your relationship to your College Y.W.A. be merely a transitional step from the one you love in your home church.

The Y.W.A. wishes to help Meredith girls to be of greater service not only to the Baptists of North Carolina, who have so nobly made Meredith's past a blessing and are striving to make her future a greater blessing, but also to the people of the world. With the coöperation of every girl and with God as our Shepherd, this will not remain a longing, but will become a reality.

We have found the circle plan very effective, since it enables us to reach each girl and enlist her in definite work.

Two Sunday night vesper services a month are given under auspices of the Y.W.A. and each of these meetings has a devotional service and a definitely planned missionary program.

Baptist girls have an opportunity to continue giving to the special interests of their denomination, such as Orphanage, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and Hospital. A special interest of the Y.W.A. is its participation in contributing to the "Sisterhood Special," a fund given by the College Y.W.A.'s of our Southland to help worthy and capable European girls to study at our own W.M.U. Training School, that they may go back to their own people prepared to give themselves with their message. Interesting mission study classes are held at a convenient time during the year, and each girl is urged to take advantage of this opportunity. We take an active part in a Good-Will Center in one of the nearby mill districts of Raleigh. For the past three years our Meredith Y.W.A. has attained the Standard of Excellence, becoming an A-1 College Y.W.A. For 1928-29 our tasks are big and definite, our aims are high. We shall count on each Meredith girl to do her part in making their completion and realization possible. "He shall be our Shepherd and He shall lead us."

#### B. Y. P. U.

The purpose of the B.Y.P.U. is twofold: to minister to and develop the spiritual nature of the girls, and to train them for active service in their home churches. Through the B.Y.P.U. they are trained in devotion, doctrine, Bible study, and missions. Thus they come to a better understanding of denominational work, and go back to their work with added efficiency.

Only a few years ago Meredith had no B.Y.P.U. organization. In '25 there were four Unions, while during the past year the number has increased to nine. We are hoping before the end of the 1929 session to have at least eleven wide-awake B.Y.P.U.'s on the campus.

Each Union has its separate meeting every Wednesday night, for 45 minutes, after which all come together for 15 minutes in the Chapel for General Assembly. Thus each girl has a chance to grow individually in her own Union, and yet, all are linked together in the general organization. The foremost aim of the organization is to enlist every girl on the campus in active work for Jesus Christ and to strive to maintain the standard of excellence.

The officers for this year are:

# GENERAL OFFICERS

| ELIZABETH  | APPLE   | General Director   |
|------------|---------|--------------------|
| MARION HA  | RRIS    | Associate Director |
| KATHLEEN   | DURHAM  | Secretary          |
| EDITH ROW  | E GRADY | Pianist            |
| PAULINE P  | OWELL   | Chorister          |
| Bessie Him | 4ES     | Pep Leader         |

#### PRESIDENTS OF THE DIFFERENT UNIONS

| Pearl Johnson Union   | BESSIE HIMES     |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| Winnie Ricket Union   | FRANCES BARNHILL |
| Evelyn Campbell Union | Louise Myers     |
| Rosa Hocutt Union     | THELMA TADLOCK   |
| Celia Herring Union   | ELLEN BROADWELL  |
| Perry Morgan Union    | GERTRUDE BOSTIC  |
| Alda Grayson Union    | Louise Sullivan  |
| Foy Willingham Union  | EDNA MAE DUVALL  |
| Chas. E. Brewer Union | VIDA MILLER      |
|                       |                  |

# THE FOREIGN MISSION BAND

The Foreign Mission Band consists of students who have decided definitely to do mission work in foreign fields, and have signed the dedication card of the Student Volunteer Movement, which reads as follows: "It is my purpose, if God permits, to become a foreign missionary." The movement, as the name implies, is limited to students, and to such students as are planning to do foreign mission work.

The Band has one meeting each week, on Friday evening, from 6:45 to 7:45, to discuss current mission news and problems. Occasionally an outside person speaks to the volunteers.

We are looking forward with real joy and hearts full of prayer to the arrival of the class of '32 at Meredith. Our supreme desire is that He, the Great Missionary, shall call many to carry His gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth, and that they shall answer: "Here am I, Lord, send me."

#### HOME SERVICE BAND

If you are planning to do Christian work of any kind in any place, we need you and you need us! We study and discuss every phase of religious activities in the Baptist denomination: Sunday School work, church work, work among foreigners and people of other races, work in the hospitals, mill districts, mountains and industrial centers; in fact, the preservation of lives and saving of souls of all people and in all conditions.

Besides the interesting programs, discussions, and an occasional talk from a speaker outside, we carry on practical work of social service among families in the county. This is of great help in training us for future work.

The Band meets twice each month. At these meetings the problems of home mission work are taken up. No pledge is required of members.

We are eagerly awaiting the arrival of you new students and sincerely hope that many will join us in our researches and discussions. Come help us in our glorious task of bringing Christ into the lives of many of our own people who are yet unsaved!

# "HINTS TO THE WISE"

Come early and avoid the rush.

The different religious organizations on our campus are uniting in welcoming you to Meredith. Look out for Meredith B.S.U. badges at the station.

Notify authorities of College if you come on a

night train, so that arrangements may be made for some one to meet you.

Listen for the call of the night watchman, if you come on a night train.

Register as soon as possible after you arrive.

After you register, go to Information Bureau
for any information.

Those wearing the B.S.U. badges will gladly give you any assistance they can during the days of classification.

Writing materials and all such incidentals may be purchased at the "B-Hive."

Ask the former students any time. They are always anxious to help you.

Bring pillow, pillow cases, sheets, blankets, dresser and table covers with you. Your material for curtains had best be bought here, so you will have no trouble in fitting your windows. But this is not all. Every college girl wants an attractive room. So bring your sofa cushions, pictures, mottoes, and all those little fixings which add so much to a room. Remember that you will be here for nine months, and you certainly will enjoy life more in a cheerful room.

Somebody is more homesick than you are. Try to forget that you are lonely and do something for that other girl.

The official bulletin-board, in the Library building, near Dr. Brewer's office, and the B.S.U. bulletin-board, at the entrance of A Dormitory, are very important. Watch them.

Remember to patronize the firms that advertise in our publications. "Turn about is fair play."

The Library is quiet for study. If you talk, it misses its purpose.

When you want to cook, go to kitchenette on first floor in your dormitory.

## **CHURCHES**

There are Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Catholic, Christian, Disciples, and Lutheran churches in Raleigh. Every student is allowed to attend the church for which she has a preference. The first two Sundays after school opens the students are allowed to visit different churches of their denomination. After that they must fully decide what church they prefer to attend regularly.

#### THE "B-HIVE"

The "B-Hive" has a short but interesting history. In 1911 the Y.W.C.A. Store (called "Y Store") began its existence in a small box about two feet wide and four feet high. Among its limited goods were stationery, note-book paper, pencils, ink, and candy.

In 1915 the store was slightly enlarged and a few more articles were offered for sale, including cakes and a better grade of candy.

A few years later the goods were removed to an even larger place—an old room near the porch of Old East Building.

Since January, 1926 (when the College was moved to its new site), the "Y Store" has made its home in the little red house back of the chapel. Its supplies have been enlarged until almost anything can be had, from ice cream

and cold drinks to fountain pens and even sugar, cocoa, and soda.

In 1927 the supervision and profits changed from the hands of the Y.W.C.A. to those of the B.S.U. (Baptist Student Union) and the name of the store was changed accordingly from "Y Store" to "B-Hive."



# OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

#### WOMAN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

| MIRIAM DAUGHTRY | President      |
|-----------------|----------------|
| DOROTHY ROWLAND | Vice-President |
| ELIZABETH JAMES | Secretary      |
| GRETCHEN CHEEK  | Treasurer      |

New girls, the Woman's Athletic Association welcomes you. We need you in all phases of sport life on the campus. Athletics is necessary for health as well as for affording pleasure. The different sports which are open to all—tennis, basketball, volleyball, baseball, track, and hiking—will help you to develop your physique and enjoy yourself. Active membership in the Association is open to all who are regularly registered students, but a total of 85 points is necessary for membership in the Association. There are many ways in which one can gain these points. These can be made in the following way:

| Teams Po                   | oints |
|----------------------------|-------|
| Basketball                 | 100   |
| Volleyball                 | 100   |
| Track                      | 100   |
| Baseball                   | 100   |
| Tennis                     | 100   |
| Hiking 40 miles a semester | 25    |
| Hygiene month              | 30    |
| Member of squads           | 25    |

The purpose of this Association is to develop a high physical efficiency among the students of Meredith College by encouraging an interest in gymnastic, hygienic, and athletic activities. So we urge you to sign up for some of these sports at the beginning of the year, and to help make Meredith athletics a vital part of the College life. Your interest and effort will be repaid by more vitality and more genuine pleasure, and you will help your class to win distinction. So come to College, register, and then sign up for athletics.

### HEADS OF THE DIFFERENT SPORTS

| Tennis     | ELIZABETH APPLE                       |
|------------|---------------------------------------|
| Basketball | SARAH COBB                            |
| Volleyball | JOSEPHINE BRADLEY                     |
| Track      | ELIZABETH AYSCUE                      |
| Baseball   | LYDIA BEAVERS                         |
|            | Louise Ange                           |
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### BASKETBALL

Each class has a team and inter-class games are played for the championship. The winning team is awarded a loving cup.

### SCHEDULE

| Juniors vs. | Freshmen   | February      | 12, 19, 26 |
|-------------|------------|---------------|------------|
| Seniors vs. | Sophomores | .Feb. 15, 23, | March 1    |
| Finals      |            | March         | 8, 15, 22  |

The five best players in school receive monograms and compose the varsity team.

## TENNIS

The tennis tournaments are played on the same plan as basketball—between classes. Those on the championship team receive letters.

## SCHEDULE

| Junior vs. Freshmen    | April 23 |
|------------------------|----------|
| Seniors vs. Sophomores | April 26 |
| Final                  | May 3    |

### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students who are excused from physical education classes on account of physical disability shall be debarred from taking part in any athletics.

From the middle of October until May Day regular gymnasium exercises are required of all students except Seniors, for two hours each week.

Any girl who enjoys hiking is urged to walk for a monogram. Those who walk six hundred miles receive an "M"; five hundred miles, an "M.C."

In the coming year, 1928-29, we are hoping that all girls will take a more active interest in athletics than ever before, because in our new site there is ample room for many different sports, and we are hoping to make each rank with the best.

## THE LITERARY SOCIETIES

The two literary societies offer a splendid field for individual activities and development along both literary and social lines.

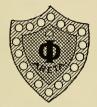
The purpose of both the Astrotekton and Philaretian societies is to help students to combine academic work in a practical way with their social life, and to cultivate an interest in outside and current affairs. Society work offers excellent opportunity for self-expression and expansion.

Each new girl may join the society of her choice, after having become acquainted with the activities and members of both societies. The keenest competition is in evidence until the date

of choosing, which is some time before the first of October

Both societies are looking forward with pleasure to the coming of the new girls, and extend a cordial welcome and invitation to the class of '32.

## PHILARETIAN SOCIETY



The purpose of the Philaretian Society has been to help the students enjoy themselves and find self-expression in various activities while cultivating the intellectual side of their nature. It connects college life with the life outside, and establishes a closer and more understanding relation between the different units within the College itself. In combining academic work and social life it offers to each girl an opportunity for self-development.

Every student may become a member of the society of her choice—however, the Philaretian Society hopes that you will care to become one of its large number of members, to work and play together for the pleasure of all.

### OFFICERS

| SARAH MEWBORN     | President      |
|-------------------|----------------|
| MATTIE LEE EAGLES | Vice-President |
| BESSIE HIMES      | Secretary      |
| CONNIE ELLIS      | Treasurer      |

#### MARSHALS

## MARGARET JONES, Chief

FRANCES FULGHUM

HAZEL BUMGARDNER

KATHLEEN DURHAM

### PHILARETIA

Behold, in shining raiment dressed She stands; in silence bow, High honor sits upon her breast; A white flame blazes in her breast, And stars upon her brow.

Look up and listen while she speaks,
In solemn tones and slow.
She points to radiant mountain peaks,
Where morn reveals her first grey streaks
To weary souls below.

She calls us to her house of light
Beneath her azure dome:
'Come, daughters, walk with me in white,
Above the glooming realms of night;
Build here your highland home.

Let Virtue feed her vestal fire
Within each holy fane.
Let fearless Truth, with flaming ire,
Consume the breath of base desire,
And rule without a stain."

Lead on, O Philaretia fair,
Lead upward day by day,
Thy violet banner in the air,
Thy daughters all will highly dare!
Brave mother, lead the way.

## ASTROTEKTON LITERARY SOCIETY



"He builds too low who builds beneath the stars."

Through the spirit of democracy, cooperation, and loyalty that is ever existent in this society: through the efforts to enlarge, to progress, to launch out on greater fields of endeavor and to offer to each member the opportunity to exercise her talents and to enjoy the hearty fellowship that comes from planning and executing plans as a group—the Astrotekton Literary Society hopes to accomplish its purpose-which is to combine in a sane, profitable, vet enjoyable way the academic and social life of its members and to encourage those members to exercise self-expression in a wholesome, inspiring, and jolly manner. To the new girls who are so soon to become a part of us we extend a very hearty welcome and a cordial invitation to join those who choose to "build among the stars" and follow the guidance of our own Mother Astro.

### OFFICERS

| HESTA KITCHIN    | President      |
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| ROBERTA ROYSTER  | Secretary      |

#### MARSHALS

## PAULINE NEWTON, Chief

ELIZABETH DEAN

NELL HORDE

MARY BARBER

### ASTRO SONG

See thy children, Mother Astro,
Sisters of the gold and white,
Bow before thee in thy beauty,
Thankful for thy wondrous light.
Now we bring our girlhood treasures,
And we lay them at thy feet—
Waiting for thy benediction
And thy bidding, always sweet.

Astro, Mother Astro,
From the mountains to the sea,
Astro, Mother Astro,
We have come in love and gladness
To be led by thee.

Now we feel thy hands upon us,
Hands so loving and so strong
That the touch fills every daughter
With a purpose and a song.
Lift your heads, ye Astro maidens,
Look into her starlit eyes,
Then go forth to life and duty
With a zeal that never dies.

Astro, Mother Astro,
With a love that grows not old,
Astro, Mother Astro,
See us rally 'round thy banner,
Dear old white and gold.

#### STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

The Oak Leaves is the College annual, published by the Philaretian and Astrotekton Literary Societies. Unlike The Acorn, it is not essentially of a literary nature, but its purpose is to represent every phase of college life, including all the classes, all college and student organizations and clubs, thus aiming to portray our life as it really is. Although each of these phases has its place, the Senior class is properly accorded the most prominence.

Every girl receives the annual by paying the yearly budget. Anyone else desiring one should make the proper arrangements with the business manager.

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The Acorn is the literary publication of the College, published once a month by the Philaretian and Astrotekton Literary Societies. It is a product of the student body and represents the highest grade of literary ability of the students. Publication of work is not limited to any one department, correct, informative, and attractive English being the chief requirement.

The work of any classmen or of any department is appreciated and published if it first reaches the standard expected of a college magazine. The purpose of The Acorn this year will be to make it read, liked, contributed to, and supported more widely and warmly than heretofore by the entire student body. The Acorn wishes to enlarge its vision and its circle of readers, at the same time adhering to a worthy literary standard. The chief means by which it is accomplishing this purpose is through membership in the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, which is doing a fine and active work in promoting the journalistic and literary work of college publications. Each student receives The Acorn monthly after payment of the budget fee. It will be mailed to any address upon receipt of the subscription price and address, by the business manager. The members of the editorial staff are as follows:

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The Twig is the official organ of the student body of Meredith College and is issued weekly. Its purpose is to reflect the happenings which concern the students by means of the editorials, and to keep the alumnæ in closer touch with each other and their Alma Mater through the alumni news. The Twig is a member of the North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, deriving great benefit from its contact with other college papers through this medium. The Twig needs the coöperation of the student body and must have it if it is to continue to exist and grow.

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## GLEE CLUB

The Meredith Glee Club was organized in the fall of 1919 and since has become an integral part of college life through its noteworthy success. It is composed of twenty of the best voices in the school. Students from all depart-

ments are eligible, as only academic requirements have to be met.

The Glee Club is directed by Dr. Dingley Brown, head of the Department of Music, and under his leadership is making rapid strides toward vocal perfection among themselves and greater musical appreciation among the student body as a whole.

## THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

The International Relations Club meets the need of the students for a more thorough study and discussion of international problems and relations of the present day. Any students who are taking elective courses in history are eligible for membership. The club meets once a month and has as its adviser Professor Riley, head of the History Department.

The officers for the year 1928-29 are:

# THE HELEN HULL LAW CLASSICAL CLUB

The Classical Club was organized in September, 1921, to fill a long-felt need among the students especially interested in Latin and Greek. Its purpose is to supplement the work of the classroom, adding things of vital interest to those pursuing a classical education. In addi-

tion, it affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

Students taking advanced work in Latin and those electing Greek are eligible for membership in the club. Other students, upon a recommendation from teachers in the department, may be invited to become members also.

### THE "MATH" CLUB

Often you hear some student say, "Are you majoring in math?" To an affirmative answer there comes, "Well, you are the craziest person I ever saw." If this is true, this is a club of crazy students who meet together the first Monday of each month to study and discuss the problems and history of mathematics with the goal of arousing a greater interest in the higher courses in this subject. Those students who have finished Math I are eligible for membership, and, too, those who are taking Math I who are especially interested may become associate members.

### THE COLTON ENGLISH CLUB

The Colton English Club was organized in the fall of 1922. The object of this club, as stated in the Constitution, is to stimulate and cultivate interest in good written and spoken English and in the reading of good literature.

Membership is restricted to those electing English courses. Eligible students must apply for membership and their application must be voted on by the club. During the year 1925-26 joint meetings with the N.C. State College Club were held monthly. By means of this coöpera-

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tive plan speakers of note were secured and great pleasure and benefit derived.

(Officers to be elected at the beginning of the year.)

### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club is composed of those who are especially interested in Home Economics. All students who have taken or who are taking work in the Home Economics Department of the College are eligible for membership.

The object of this club is to stimulate interest in the study of Home Economics. It affords social life and fellowship among those having similar interests.

#### TOWN GIRLS CLUB

The Town Girls Club was organized in 1928 for the purpose of bringing the town girls into closer relation with the girls on the campus. It also provides a social room, known as the Town Girls Room, in which the girls gather when not in class. Every town student is a member of the club, and we extend a hearty welcome to the new girls.

The officers for the year 1928-29 are:

| MARTHA MEDLIN   | President      |
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